THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy to cloudy, probably without rain tonight and Sunday. There will be light easterly to southerly winds.

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COURT SHOCKED

At Language Used by a Small boy

Judge Hadley was completely jarred this morning when Leslie Lohnes of 17 Webster street, a neat appearing boy not over 14 years of age, calmly admitted having used toward George Jackson, the vilest epithets ever heard in police court.

When the defendant Jackson, who was charged with assault on young Lohnes and two other young men, testified to the language used by Lohnes the court was loathe to believe that a boy of his years could be familiar with such expressions and sharply cross-questioned the witnesses, who stuck to their original testimony.

Then the boy was recalled and asked if he had used such language and he promptly gave an affirmative answer.

The court immediately discharged the defendant with the remark: "That boy should have his mouth shut with something stronger than a rotten potato," the complainant alleging that Jackson had struck him with a rotten potato.

The alleged assault took place at the public bath house in Pawtucket street about a week ago. The defendant, George Jackson, lives next door to the bath house and it would appear is not on friendly terms with the proprietor, Mr. Jean. Young Lohnes while in swimming at the bath house got on the wharf of Mr. Jackson nearby and Jackson ordered him off. Lohnes went away from the wharf but upon getting back to the bath house turned around and called Jackson the vile names referred to. Jackson upon hearing the language picked up a rotten potato and threw it at young Lohnes, striking him on the shoulder. Lohnes went into the bath house crying and told Jean about it.

Jackson pleaded not guilty and was defended by Col. Carmichael who brought the admission from the Lohnes boy's mother that she would not have known about the incident had it not been that Jean called on her and advised her to have Jackson brought to court for assault, offering, she said, to stand any expense incurred by the case.

Judge Hadley was genuinely astonished at the developments in the case for with all his experience with men and women of crime he had never before heard of so young a person being familiar with and using such vile language.

MORE HOBOES IN.

A few more railroad workers appeared in court for drunkenness this morning. There were seven arrests all told for drunkenness, and of the seven, four were released.

Thomas Smith was on his way to Salem, N. H. to get a job on the new race track there, and stopped over in Lowell a few minutes, too long a time, for he was taken in for the old trouble. Smithie was somewhat shaky in court, and Judge Hadley thought that he could swing a pick and manipulate a shovel much better after a 10 days' sojourn at jail.

Frank Brennan pleaded not guilty and Officer Breault testified that he found Brennan inside of Kelly's pawnshop in Middlesex street, much to the bad alcoholically and financially. Brennan said he had $16 coming to him, but a search of his jeans revealed one lone dime with him. Brennan said that he hadn't drunk anything since Wednesday, and hadn't eaten for that matter, and the court fixed it so that he will have plenty to eat and drink for the next ten days.

Daniel McCauley had been pinched three times within a month, and hence it was a 100 to 1 shot that Daniel would go into retirement for the next few months. It was the state farm for Daniel.

CALKINS NOT GUILTY.

The much continued case of John Calkins for threatening Grace May Higgins who testified against Calkins in his non-support case previously tried in police court was called.

After the case was finished Calkins met Mrs. Higgins in the corridor of the police court and said to her: "I'll fix you for this." Later in the day Calkins met her and made remarks to her of an insulting rather than a threatening nature.

Col. Carmichael for the defendant asked for his discharge on the ground that the government had not made out a case, and the court found Calkins not guilty. When the contestants were leaving the court room Judge Hadley suggested that Probation Officer Slattery accompany them through the corridor lest they have another mix-up.

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HEAVY LOSS

SKETCH OF THE FIVE-STORY PICKER MILL OF THE AMERICAN WOOLEN CO. AT COLLINSVILLE IN FLAMES.

Big Fire at Collinsville Mills This Morning

The five-story brick building, 120x80, the property of the American Woolen company, and a part of the Beaver Brook mills in Collinsville was destroyed by fire that broke out on the lower floor about midnight, last night. The loss, including stock and buildings, is estimated at $125,000.

Unless the company can arrange to supply the Beaver brook mills with stock from some other point the plant will have to close. The building that was burned included the carbonizing and dyeing departments and employed about 80 hands. These departments were destroyed and it is generally conceded that the picker house, store and boarding house would have been wiped out but for the timely arrival of the apparatus from Lowell.

PRES. WOOD'S STATEMENT.

President Wood of the American Woolen company arrived at the scene of the fire in an automobile, at about 9.30 this forenoon, and in conversation with a representative of The Sun set the loss between $100,000 and $150,000. Mr. Wood thinks that it will not be necessary to close the Beaver Brook mills. The company has mills in Burlington, Vt., and the stock necessary to keep the Beaver Brook mills going will be shipped from there. Mr. Wood said that the company would proceed to rebuild at once as it would be impossible to run the plant without the departments that were quartered in the building that was burned.

Mr. Wood is a philosopher and looks on the bright side of things. He said to The Sun reporter that when he got the news of the fire he feared it was the mill itself and he felt that the company was fortunate that the main buildings were saved. The stock and building were well insured but the loss, beyond the amount of insurance, will be heavy.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to be due to spontaneous combustion. The fire was discovered by the night watchmen, Messrs. Jackson and Shanks, and they notified two of the mill firemen. While the watchmen and the firemen were searching for the fire on the second floor it broke out in the basement, and despite the fact that the mills are equipped with good fire fighting apparatus, and good facilities, the firemen soon realized that they would not be able to cope with the blaze that was licking its way from the basement to the upper floors.

SPRINKLERS AT WORK.

The building was supplied with automatic sprinklers, and although they did all that could be expected of them they made but little impression upon the fire that had found good fuel in the stock on hand and the Lowell fire department was telephoned to. That was at 12.50 a. m. and the Lowell department responded with engine number five and hose wagon from Pawtucketville and hose eight from Merrimack street. The fire is still smouldering and two lines of hose belonging to the company are in operation.

WALLS ARE STANDING.

The walls of the building are standing but the floors have fallen and a slow fire is smouldering in the ruins. The building was erected in the fall of 1901 and took the place of the old wooden and stone building that was burned in the month of April, 1900. The firemen who responded to the fire this morning were the men who responded to the call for help when the old mill burned. The building where the fire occurred last night is situated on the opposite side of the street from the mills proper. The building fronts on the street and extends as far back as the falls.

The fire last night was not attended by any serious accidents but there were some narrow escapes. When the roof went in and the floors gave way bricks were hurled into the street and large pieces of the coping fell landing near the firemen. One of the company's firemen was hit by a brick but was not seriously injured.

The Lowell department remained on the ground until 10 o'clock. The fire was then under perfect control and an official of the mill told Assistant Engineer Norton that there was no need for him or his men to remain any longer. He thanked the assistant chief for the splendid assistance the Lowell department had rendered and said, "You will hear from us later."

Daniel S. Hanulgan had three fingers of his left hand caught in a saw while at work at Platt's wood yard in Whipple street yesterday. Four stitches were required to close the cuts at the Emergency hospital.

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LATEST

FARMERS' DINNER

Closing Day of the Middlesex North Fair

The third day of the fair under the auspices of the Middlesex North Agricultural Association did not bring out the attendance which was expected. There is no doubt in the minds of the public or the management but that the attendance would have been a record breaker today but for the threatening weather during the early hours of the morning, and the light drizzling rain later on in the day. The management of the fair looked forward with fond anticipations for fair weather today, for this was to be the red-letter day of the fair.

The principal feature of the day was the farmers' dinner, which always attracts a good number who like to enjoy one of those old-fashioned farmers' dinners and also listen to good speaking. The dinner was served at noon. Then again the horse races, together with the unfinished 2.30 class were scheduled to be run off. There was also on the flat a double balloon ascension and parachute jump, together with a fine vaudeville show. This program would undoubtedly have attracted thousands of people to the grounds, but the weather clerk did not follow out the program ordered by the officials, and the rain tendered to mar the success of the day to a considerable extent.

The gates at the grounds were thrown open at eight o'clock this morning and in half hour later the entries for family matched horses and roadsters and travellers was closed. The trial of these horses was called at eleven o'clock on the track.

Prizes were awarded to stallions for driving purposes, family horses, family matched horses, roadsters and travellers, no horse having a track record being allowed to compete.

THE MATHEWS

INVITE MR. JOHN H. HARRINGTON TO DELIVER LECTURE.

Mr. John H. Harrington, published of The Sun, has accepted the invitation of the Mathew Temperance Institute to address the members some evening next month. The committee in charge of the course of lectures arranged for the season requested Mr. Harrington to speak to the institute on his recent trip through Europe and an entertaining and instructive lecture is anticipated by the young men of the Mathews.

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Fancy Corn 9c can, $1 doz
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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

OBSCENE CARDS

Post Office Inspectors Wage Campaign Against Them

The postoffice inspectors throughout New England have received orders to begin a determined and aggressive campaign against the distribution of objectionable postal cards with which the offices have been burdened particularly during the summer months. At the Boston office today between four and five thousand of these cards were burned and it is announced that numerous prosecutions will follow if satisfactory evidence can be secured by the inspectors.

LACEY RETURNS

Missing Man Turns Up Again

HAD BEEN MISSING SINCE SUNDAY

Left Home After a Quarrel

Michael Lacey, the young husband who disappeared from his home in Lawrence street, on Sunday afternoon after a disagreement with his wife, turned up again today all safe and sound. He states that he has been visiting relatives in Worcester.

MISSING BOY

LEFT HOME IN RUTLAND, MASS.

The police have been asked to look for 15-year-old Hurbee E. Vincr, who disappeared from his home in Rutland, Mass., on Sept. 7. He was four feet nine inches in height, dark eyes and hair, dark coat and pants. He wore a black cap.

"TOM" McCARTHY HOME.

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, the well-known piccalo player, has returned from the White Mountains, where he filled a summer engagement with the Profile house orchestra, A. B. Stockbridge, manager. The following program will give one an idea of the calibre of the music heard at the Profile house:

March, from The Serenade .....Herbert
Overture, Crown Diamonds .....Auber
Flute solo, Serenade .....Popp
Mr. Thomas McCarthy.
Selection, Woodland .....Luders
Gavotte Anglaise, Wigs and Ruffles, ... Sudds
Galop, Eagle Cliff .....Hoffman

PRINTERS' STRIKE.

The strike of the book and job printers of Lowell for the eight-hour day is still on. The press committee announced today that F. A. M. Tobin had signed the eight-hour day contract.

HELD IN $2,000.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Sept. 15.—Mathew de Grey Ripon, Wm. P. White, Wm. H. McMullen and Michael J. Ryan, four members of the Municipal league, were in court today to answer to the charge of conspiracy for the purpose of obtaining money from five hotel keepers of this city for violation of the liquor law. The cases were continued until next Thursday and the defendants held in $2,000 each.

Sunburn

is promptly relieved, as summer vacationists and tourists have already learned, by the new and delightful toilet preparation, Hood's Lotion, which cools and soothes the inflamed and irritated skin and applied in time prevents peeling.

Large bottle, 35 cents. All druggists. C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

INCREASE DUES

Action Taken by the Machinists

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Upon the recommendation of the committee on laws of the union, the delegates to the International Association of Machinists today voted almost unanimously to increase the minimum dues in all lodges, increase the per capita tax and also the apprentices' per capita tax. During the day, the committee was sent to call upon the delegates of the Eelevator Constructors' union at its convention in Rathbone hall for the purpose of discussing matters which will be of mutual interest to the unions.

AN INQUIRY

INTO THE CAUSE OF WORCESTER ACCIDENT.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Investigation into the recent fatal trolley accident at Hammer Rock Hill on the Worcester & Southbridge street railway by which two persons lost their lives, was begun by the railroad commissioners today. Neither motorman Leete nor Conductor McLaughlin of the car was able to be present. Nine witnesses were sworn. Albert H. Superner, a motorman on the Worcester & Southbridge road, who was in the vestibule with Motorman Leete when the accident happened, testified that the night was foggy and they could not see very far ahead. He thought the car at the time it struck the curve where it left the track, was running at about 18 miles an hour.

MARTIAL LAW

COMMITTEE WILL DEMAND IT BE ABOLISHED.

TOKIO, Sept. 15.—5.30 p. m.—The committee of the lower house of the diet which has been investigating the recent disturbances will have an interview with Premier Katsura tomorrow when the committee will demand the abolition of martial law and will also organize a special committee of inquiry into police outrages.

The bar association is memorializing the government for the abolition of martial law.

The president and vice-president of the lower house of the diet will go to Yokohama tomorrow to meet Secretary Taft.

$20,000 BAIL

BROKER BROWN ARRAIGNED IN COURT.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Harry Clifford Brown, the broker who was arrested yesterday on a charge of forgery, was arraigned in the municipal court today. He was held for a further hearing Sept. 20, bail being fixed at $20,000, in default of which he was returned to jail.

Brown is charged with raising two certificates each representing one share of the Boston & Albany railroad, to twenty shares, and using the certificates as securities on notes upon which he is alleged to have raised $8,000.

AGREED ON RATES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Aside from a few details representatives from the trunk lines, western roads to gulf ports and interested steamship companies yesterday reached a final agreement on sugar and coffee rates. The new schedule will take effect Oct. 7 and was extensive advances to all western and southern points.

The sugar rate war has been in progress the past three years and was one of the most bitter and costly ever known in railroad circles.

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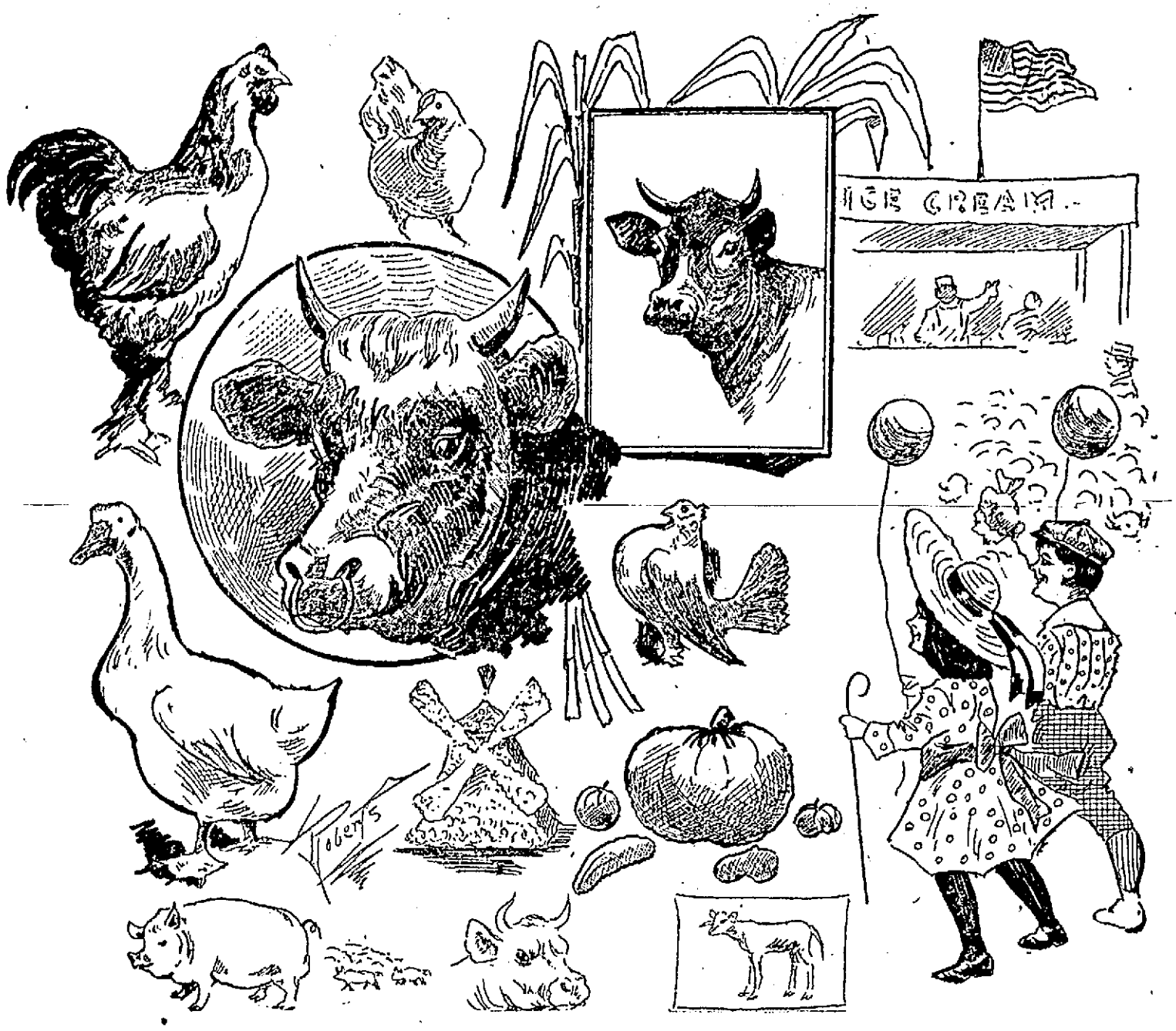

SKETCHES AT THE MIDDLESEX NORTH FAIR YESTERDAY

SUICIDE PACT

Miss Thompson Took Carbolic Acid

MARION, Ind., Sept. 15.—In carrying out her part of a suicide compact, entered into with her friend, Cleo Baugher, who committed suicide at Muncie, a month ago, Miss Chloe Thompson, 17 years old, swallowed a large quantity of arsenic today and died from the poisoning. Like Miss Baugher, Miss Thompson took the poison while on the street.

THE GOVERNOR

TALKED OVER IRISH AFFAIRS WITH REDMOND.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Wm. H. K. Redmond, M. P., today called on Gov. Wm. L. Douglas at the state house and conversed with the governor upon affairs in Ireland. Gov. Douglas inquired particularly about the working of the Irish land act and expressed his pleasure that good progress was being made in the work to which Mr. Redmond has devoted his life.

During the day Mr. Redmond called at the city hall and formally expressed to Acting Mayor Whelton his own and the Irish party's sorrow at the death of Mayor Collins.

DR. STARR

WILL VISIT THE SAVAGE TRIBES OF CENTRAL AFRICA.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Prof. Frederick Starr, the University of Chicago anthropologist, has been granted a leave of absence of more than a year by the officials of the university, which time he will spend among the savage tribes of central Africa. He will leave Chicago tomorrow and expects to sail from New York next Monday.

As the region which he expects to visit is under the control of Belgium, he will go first to Antwerp to make arrangements with the Belgium authorities, which will enable him to penetrate that region under the Congo protocol. He expects to reach Bona at the mouth of the Congo about Oct. 19 and will go overland to the jungles of Ndombi, where he will live with the natives for a year. His headquarters will be 1100 miles from the sea and the only white man who will be with him will be his American photographer.

TYPHOID GERMS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The possibility of purifying water from typhoid fever germs by the introduction of copper solutions at city water works station was discussed at today's session of the N. E. Water Works' Association convention. Prof. Henry Kramer of Philadelphia read a paper on the "Germicidal properties of metallic copper." He said copper in water would destroy typhoid germs. Prof. Herbert E. Smith of New Haven, Conn., said that it was possible for copper when used to purify water to cause poisoning, but "that when drunk in small amounts for long periods there would be no ill effects.

J. W. Ellms of Cincinnati considered copper an invaluable water purifier, but D. D. Jackson of Brooklyn disagreed with him.

Prof. H. W. Clark of Boston gave statistical results of the application of copper sulphate at the filtration plants in Massachusetts. No gain in the destruction of baccalli was shown by the use of the copper, he said, but rather the reverse.

THE RECEIVER

Given the Charge of $10,000 in Certificates

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The title to $16,000 of certificates of deposit issued by the American National and the First National banks to George E. Stillings, an officer of the Preferred Mercantile Co. of Boston, now serving a sentence in jail for contempt, was declared by Judge Morton in the supreme court today to belong to Burrage P. Cray as receiver of the company. George E. Stillings obtained these certificates in his own name with funds which belonged to the company and the discovery of this fact was made by the receiver while the contempt proceedings were pending against George and his brother, Guy C. Stillings, who is now in jail with him. Judge Loring, several weeks ago ordered the certificates placed in Mr. Gray's custody to await the determination of the question of their ownership.

POISONED

TOADSTOOLS WERE TAKEN FOR MUSHROOMS.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Toadstools eaten for mushrooms nearly caused the deaths this morning of Mr. and Mrs. Antoni Budnick and their three children at Chester, Orange county. Mr. Budnick is a farmer. This morning a neighbor passing the Budnick home failed to see any signs of life about the place, and thinking it strange, investigated. After forcing an entrance to the house the neighbor found the entire family ill. Dr W. W. Davis of Chester was called and found all in a dangerous condition from poisoning and worked over them for hours before they were out of danger. The Budnick family have mushrooms daily and it was through the young children innocently gathering some toadstools and mixing them with the mushrooms that the poisoning occurred.

HELD IN $5000.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 15.—Charles S. Freyer, who was arrested Thursday at Riverside as a fugitive from justice from New York, was arraigned in the district court this morning. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $5000 for a hearing Sept. 26. He was unable to furnish bail and was committed.

EMPEROR'S GIFT.

ROME, Sept. 15.—The German Emperor has sent Foreign Minister Tittoni $2000 for the Calabria earthquake victims.

King Victor Emmanuel is continuing his trip through the stricken towns.

The observatory at Florence reports that the instruments there recorded constant seismic disturbances from 8 p. m. yesterday until 10 a. m. today. At 7.17 a. m. the instruments recorded a powerful shock having an extended radius.

GRANT FARM SOLD.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 15.—A deal was concluded yesterday whereby the old Grant farm in St. Louis county, a short distance west from the city limits, for many years the home of Pres. Ulysses Grant will be converted into an amusement park next year. The tract comprises about 440 acres of land and the purchase price was $113,000.

BANKER FERRIS

Placed Under Arrest at Swanton

SWANTON, Vt., Sept. 15.—A. J. Ferris, former president of the People's National bank of Swanton, now in the hands of a receiver, was arrested here today on the charge of misappropriating two notes from the bank by means of false entries made on Sept. 20, 1902. The notes both were signed by F. H. Mead, one being for $296.88, the other for $414. Ferris was taken by United States Deputy Marshal Reeves, who made the arrest, to Burlington, where he was arraigned before clerk of the United States court, George E. Johnson. He was held in $2000 bonds, which he furnished for a later hearing, the date of which was not fixed. Ferris then left Burlington, intending, he said, to go to Boston, where he resides during the winter months.

SHERRICK HELD

State Auditor Accused of Embezzlement

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 15.—David E. Sherrick, auditor of state, was registered at the police station today charged with embezzlement of the state's funds. He waived examination and is to be bound over to the grand jury under heavy bond. Because of the large number of cases before him, in police court, Judge Whallon postponed the hearing as to the amount of Sherrick's bond until 2 o'clock this afternoon. In the meantime Sherrick is under the guard of a detective. At the police station today were several friends of Sherrick. It was expected that the bond would be arranged.

Sherrick was arrested at his home early this morning on affidavit filed by Detective Lowe. The prisoner looked haggard. He refused to talk concerning the case, referring all inquiries to his attorney, Addison C. Harris who was with him at the station.

After Sherrick's resignation, which was sent to Governor Hanley, yesterday afternoon, was accepted and Warren Biglow, of Wabash, had accepted the appointment to the vacancy, the auditor's office was closed for the afternoon and not opened until this morning.

Investigation of the securities which were placed in the hands of the governor tends to show that they are of sufficient value to protect the state if taken with the $100,000 bond of the American Surety company.

DIXON ELECTED.

BELFAST, Ireland, Sept. 15.—Sir Daniel Dixon, Unionist, has been elected to parliament vice Sir James Haslett, deceased, by a majority of 474 over William Walker, labor party. The United Irish League supported Sir Daniel, who is a privy councillor for Ireland, former Lord Mayor of Belfast, and a prominent ship owner and timber merchant.

Mrs. Thomas Foody and Mrs. T. Gray have returned from City Point, South Boston, where they spent the summer.

BODY IDENTIFIED

Suicide Is a West Medford Girl

STORY TOLD BY HER FATHER

Gives Reason for Her Rash Act

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Lorenzo D. Berry, a carpenter of West Medford, Mass., today identified as that of his daughter Ella, the body of the young woman who committed suicide on Wednesday in the Hotel Manhattan. His son, Elmer Berry, pronounced the body that of his sister. After making the identification, the father and son sought Coroner Scholer to secure a permit to take the girl's body back to her home in West Medford for burial.

"The newspapers have done all this," said the father when he was able to control his grief. "My daughter, who was a pure and modest girl, was a stenographer in her home town. A year ago a Boston newspaper published a story that she had run away with a married man. The next day it turned out that she had merely gone on her vacation alone and that she had nothing to do with the married man named in the story who had disappeared. The newspaper printed a retraction but that did not help my daughter's feelings. The injury done to her was great and she never recovered from it. She grew more and more down-hearted and morose and this (pointing to the coffin in which her body lay) is what that cruel, false, malicious story has brought her to."

Mr. Berry said that his daughter had left her home on Tuesday last, coming to New York on the Fall River line steamer. He said that he received a telegram from her Wednesday morning but he refused to say what were its contents. She registered at the Manhattan hotel Wednesday afternoon under the name of "A. A. Wildey of Washington, D. C." and that night killed herself with poison and pistol, leaving the note to the effect that her body would be called for.

"Wherever my daughter would go," said Mr. Berry, "it would seem as if somebody was ready to point to her as a girl who had been mixed up in a disgraceful affair. Then she went away from home to seek employment in other cities. She would be a short time in a place when the story would reach the ears of her employers and she would be told that she could not remain. This happened several times until my child could not bear it any longer."

Elmer Berry, the dead girl's brother, said that a letter had been received by the family from the girl in which they were notified by her that she had decided to put an end to it.

"I cannot bear this false stain upon my character," she wrote to her father. "I see nothing left for me to do than to kill myself. Please forgive me and believe that I would not do this thing if it were not that I am nearly out of my mind with grief and horror at the awful story which everybody seems to think is true."

When Mr. Berry saw Coroner Scholer, he told more details of the events which led up to his daughter's suicide. She was employed, he said, as a stenographer by the A. L. Picard company, electricians, of Boston. About a year ago, he said, Mr. Picard was committed to an insane asylum but did not stay there long. He was released by a court order. During the time he was in the asylum, Miss Berry was in charge of the business. Mr. Picard returned to his office after his release from the asylum. He committed suicide in June last. His family took charge of his affairs and Miss Berry lost her place. The story was printed in the newspapers and made a scandal but the girl's father declared that the attacks upon her reputation were wholly unjustifiable. He said also that the newspapers finally justified her. The publicity so affected Miss Berry, however, that she became despondent and would not be cheered. On Sept. 1, her mother hoping to divert her mind, took her to Hampton Beach, N. H. They returned to West Medford on the 12th. The next day Miss Berry left home and then her sister in West Medford received a letter from her, written in New York, telling them that she intended to kill herself. Soon after that came the news of her suicide in the Hotel Manhattan.

Mr. Berry reiterated his statement that the charges against his daughter were false and without foundation.

LATTAMORE DROWNED.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Jos. Lattamore, who has been head rubber for the Northwestern university athletic teams for the last eight years, was drowned yesterday in Spring lake near Waukesha, Wis., where the candidates for the team are practising. Lattamore began his career training athletes twelve years ago at the University of Pennsylvania, under George Woodruff.

NO RETALIATORY DUTIES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 15.—The Imperial Ukase abolishing the retaliatory duties on American imports was gazetted this morning and was placed into immediate effect at all the customs houses by telegraphic orders today from the ministry of finance.

Frank J. Murphy of Walker street, graduate of High school, 1905, left Wednesday for Holy Cross college, Worcester, to resume his studies.

Mrs. Joseph Pattee, wife of City Messenger Pattee, returned home today after a two weeks stay at the Profile House, Franconia Notch, N. H.

A Sweet Breath

is what all should have, and it can be ensured by the judicious use of Beecham's Pills. A sweet breath denotes that everything is well, so at the slightest indication of the digestive organs not working properly, do not forget to take

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GIVEN 25 YEARS

Man Was Convicted of a Serious Charge

NORWICH, Conn., Sept. 15.--Fred Pepowlle, who has a wife and several children, the eldest 22 years and the youngest 15 months, was sentenced to 25 years in state prison today. His crime was that of felonious assault upon his 15-year-old daughter. Pepowlle after being found guilty by the jury was placed in a cell to await sentence. By use of his necktie he suspended himself from the cell door and was cut down just in time to save his life.

TOOK THE OATH

Daniel Whelton Mayor of Boston

BOSTON, Sept. 15.--The funeral of Mayor Patrick A. Collins will be held Monday. Unless there is a change in the wishes of the family the body will not lie in state as had been suggested, though the funeral exercises will be public. It is probable that services will be held at the Roman Catholic cathedral of the Holy Cross, the largest edifice of that denomination in Boston. The body will be buried at Holyhood cemetery, Brookline, by the side of that of his mother and not far from the resting place of his life-long friend, John Boyle O'Reilly.

Mrs. Collins, the widow of the mayor, received today several hundred telegrams and other messages of condolence from various parts of the country and many from abroad.

Acting upon the call of Mayor Daniel A. Whelton, both branches of the city council met at noon today to take action upon the death of Mayor Collins, while the school committee, summoned into session by President John A. Brett, also assembled to take appropriate action.

Daniel A. Whelton, chairman of the board of aldermen, and who by a provision of the city charter, assumes the duties of mayor, took the oath of office at noon today. The oath was administered by corporation counsel Babson. Mr. Whelton will be legally known as the "Acting Mayor" and will serve as chief magistrate until a successor to Mayor Collins is selected at the regular election next December.

Wm. H. K. Redmond, M. P., will remain in this city until after the funeral of Mayor Collins. A trip down the harbor had been planned for Mr. and Mrs. Redmond today but Mr. Redmond cancelled the engagement because of the death of his friend.

At the meeting of the city council today, Acting-Mayor Whelton officially notified the members of Mayor Collins' death. He spoke of him as "a type of self-made man, than whom none was higher, whose record glitters with brilliant achievement in a setting of stainless and rugged character."

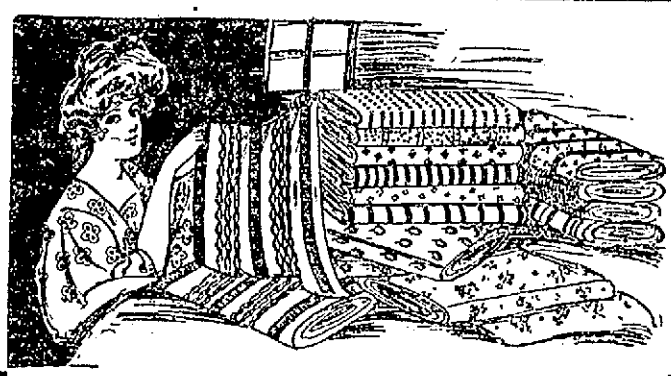
The members then adopted the following resolutions:

"Resolved, That the city council have learned with deep sorrow of the sudden death of Mayor Patrick A. Collins, a sorrow felt keenly by all who knew him in public and private life.

"The example he set of noble manhood and his achievement may well be imitated by the youth of our country. Starting as a poor boy in a foreign land, undergoing severe hardships in order to obtain the education he desired, he became by his indomitable will and force of character a commanding figure in national, state and city affairs.

"A man of unswerving honesty, of high ability, of absolute fearlessness, sincerity and directness, whose motives and actions throughout a long and useful career were never even questioned, his life will long remain an inspiration to his fellow citizens, his life and achievements are a striking illustration of what may be accomplished in our country by courage and determination in the face of apparently overwhelming odds.

"Resolved, That we tender our respectful sympathy to the family of the deceased, joining with them in their sorrow."



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800 Dozen Men's Hose, 6 Pairs for 25 Cents

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Three Bales of Good Unbleached Cotton 1 Yard Wide

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Basement Department

TWO CASES FRUIT OF THE LOOM COTTON—One yard wide, lengths from 2 to 30 yards in a piece, 8c YARD.
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SPECIAL IN TOWELS, 4 for 25c. Good size, all white.

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LOWEST PRICES—GOOD LIGHT—AND NO WAITING.

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AFTER GOULD

RAMSEY MAY DISPUTE HIS CONTROL OF ROAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.--Joseph Ramsey, formerly president of the Wabash railroad, has issued a public statement in which he asks stockholders of the road for proxies in his name for use at the annual election of directors to be held at Toledo, Ohio, on Oct. 10. From the wording of this statement, says the Herald, it is believed an attempt is being made to dispute the control of the property with George J. Gould. The serious contemplation of any such attempt, however, is decried in railroad circles as it is stated to be the policy of the Goulds to retain 10 per cent. of the stock of their properties, so that in the event of a contest it would be no great effort for them to maintain a controlling interest.

George J. Gould is at his summer home in the Catskills and the chief executives of his various railroad properties had all left the city when Mr. Ramsey's statement appeared.

It was semi-officially stated only recently that Mr. Gould expected to become the active head of the Wabash railway system to succeed Mr. Ramsey.

BREWERIES

ABANDON THE PLAN TO COMBINE.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 15.—A project which had for its object the consolidation of the breweries of Providence and Fall River has been abandoned, according to a letter received by the stockholders of the several companies today.

Five companies were involved in the proposed combine, four in this city, one in Pawtucket and four in Fall River and a New York syndicate was engaged in the matter. According to an officer of one of the companies a number of stockholders made prohibitory demands for their holdings and this resulted in the decision of the various companies to abandon the project.

COUNT DEAD

HE WAS A WELL KNOWN EXPLORER.

PARIS, Sept. 15—The minister of the colonies today received a cable dispatch from the governor of French West Africa announcing the death of Count de Brazza, the explorer, whose serious illness at Dakar was announced in these dispatches yesterday. The minister notified Countess de Brazza saying that France had lost one of her most glorious citizens. President Loubet also telegraphed his condolences to the countess.

Count de Brazza was returning from a special mission to Central Africa to investigate charges of cruelty against natives when he was attacked and cut by a sentry which was aggravated by the fatigues of the voyage and he became unconscious and died.

$200,000 LOSS

BIG FURNITURE HOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 15.—Lightning struck the Hax-Smith Furniture company's wholesale house during a severe electrical storm today, and it was totally destroyed. Loss $200,000, one-third on buildings, fully insured.

DROPPED DEAD

ENGINEER WAS ABOUT TO APPLY THE BRAKES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Engineer Merritt Turner droped dead in the cab of his engine early today just as he was about to apply the brakes and stop the Erie R. R.'s Chicago train known as the Pacific express at Deposit, N. Y. The fireman who had seen the engineer sink to the floor, stopped the train at its schedule place. A physician said Turner had died of heart disease.

AFTER GEORGE

HE IS WANTED IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The federal authorities announced today that Chas. E. George, who is under arrest here charged with using mails for fraudulent purposes, is wanted in New Hampshire where he has ben indicted on a similar complaint. The New Hampshire charge is based upon an alleged plan of George to procure money from residents of that state as consideration for collecting their bills, a service which it is claimed he did not perform. It is stated that also in 1893 George was convicted and fined by the federal district court of Vermont for fraudulently making use of the mails.

LORD ROBERTS

HAS POSTPONED HIS VISIT TO AMERICA.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts' visit to America has been postponed and will not occur this year. Lord Roberts had just received an invitation to address the annual meeting of the board of trade while in New York but he has replied regretting that he is compelled to postpone his visit on account of official and other engagements not permitting him to leave England at the time he expected to cross the Atlantic.

SWEET CORN DAMAGED.

PORTLAND, Maine, Sept. 15—While the predicted frost did not occur in this city this morning, the inland points report a severe frost and a minimum temperature of 30 degrees.

The only farm product seriously damaged was the sweet corn

HIS THROAT CUT

Body of Man Found in River

BOSTON, Sept. 15.--The finding of the body of an unknown young man with his throat cut in several places in the Charles river today induced the police to start an investigation. The body had apparently been in the water for several days. It was apparently that of a sailor of about 28 years old. The medical examiner will perform an autopsy.

THE ROGERS CASE

Attorney General Wants an Early Trial

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Sept. 15.--Sheriff Henry Peck, of Windsor county and Supt. Wm. S. Lovell of the Vermont state prison announced today that Attorney General Clark C. Fitz would file a motion with the U. S. supreme court today asking that the case of Mary M. Rogers convicted of the murder of her husband, be set ahead for a hearing at the earliest convenience of the justices. Mary Rogers' case was carried to the supreme court on a writ of habeas corpus and the allegation that the woman's constitutional rights had been violated. The arguments in the motion filed today state that the petitioners present no federal question and that the due course of justice in the state of Vermont requires that the case be disposed of at the earliest possible time. It is further stated that under the constitution of the state further reprieve by the governor is doubtful and that under the statutes no new sentence of death can be imposed to take effect until after the first day of January, 1907, and therefore if this case is not heard and disposed of before December 8, 1905, there must result long delay in carrying out the penalty imposed by the law for the crime of which the appellant stands convicted.

FAIR TRIAL

ALL THAT IS DEMANDED IN ALBERS' CASE.

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 15.--A misapprehension has arisen as to the action of the government in the case of Wm. C. Albers and his brother, who are American citizens and are in prison at Ocatel, Nicaragua. It is said here by authority of Pres. Roosevelt, that no demonstration against Nicaragua is to be made at this time.

It appears from official correspondence that the Albers brothers are under arrest at Ocatel for an alleged violation of the law of Nicaragua and for contempt of court. Their trial will take place soon. The various phases of the case have been presented to this government and the president directed that the usual steps be taken to insure the prisoners fair treatment at their trial.

U. S. Consul Lee at Panama will be directed by the state department to go from Panama to Ocatel to be present at the trial.

His instructions are to see that the Albers have a fair trial. The government assumes that the men will get impartial treatment, but if they do not any action of this government toward Nicaragua will be determined upon when any unfairness shall have been disclosed.

U. S. Minister W. M. Merry, accredited to Nicaragua and Costa Rica will not go to Ocatel. He is in Costa Rica at present and probably will remain there for a time. Consul Lee will leave Panama on the gunboat Princeton as the easiest and quickest way of making the trip. It can be said that no reason existed for cloaking the action of this government in secrecy as the proceedings directed by the president simply were taken to insure ordinary protection and fair treatment to American citizens.

NEW CHIEF

NEW YORK MAN TO HEAD PANAMA POLICE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.--Policeman George Jimenez of this city has been appointed chief of police of Panama. He was so notified yesterday by Consul General Amador. He is the second chief of police selected from the New York police force for the republic of Panama. The first, former Detective Sergeant Davis, died of yellow fever after a short stay on the isthmus. Jimenez is a Spaniard and does not fear the disease.

FORCED OPEN

DOORS OF CARMELITE CONVENT BROKEN DOWN.

PARIS, Sept. 15—The Little Carmelite sisters having resisted expulsion, the doors of their convent were forced open this morning and the institution was closed. The sisters left the city.

MELLIN'S For the Baby FOOD

The adjustability of Mellin's Food is one of its good points. Mellin's Food can be adjusted and is suitable to the needs of the youngest infant as well as children of the more advanced age. It only takes a minute to prepare it as there is no cooking necessary. Send for a free sample.

Mellin's Food is the ONLY Infants' Food, which received the Grand Prize, the highest award of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, 1904. Higher than a gold medal.

ALL PENNED IN

Prisoners are Herded Like Cattle

BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept. 15.--A report illustrating the conditions in the county jail in this city in "the jails in which the much-abused Russians are confined in their own country" was submitted yesterday by a commission which has been conducting an investigation at the institution. That those young in the school of crime are herded with the hardened and vicious is only one of the discoveries made.

The jail has 10 cells and, according to the report, the records show that 53 prisoners were confined there at one time. The inmates were crowded two in a cell, some occupied hammocks in the corridors, and when this space was used up many were obliged to sleep on the floor. The committee reported that conditions in the woman's small department were no better than those found in the department provided for the men. A new jail is recommended. The report is as follows:

"We have examined the county jail and found it in a shameful condition. The men's department consists of the cage, in which there are 10 cells, in each of which are two narrow hammock beds, one above the other. These cells are surrounded by an open corridor. Today it is occupied by 21 male prisoners, 20 single beds for 21 men. Our sheriff tells us that he has had as many as 30 men at one time. The women's department, which is up stairs, consists of five cells, and in that part we found, as occupants, two women and three men. We found the jail fairly clean, but the atmosphere, especially in the men's part, was foul and nauseating.

"In this 15-cell jail as many as 53 prisoners have been confined at one time. There is no convenience for the sick, who, with those young in the school of crime, or those charged with minor offences, and those arrested upon civil process, are herded with the hardened and vicious.

"The jail is so arranged that the sheriff and his family cannot escape from all the vile conversation and noises peculiar to such an institution. Some of us have read how prisoners are treated in Russia and Siberia, but we think that sympathy for abused prisoners may well begin at home, right in Chittenden county, Vermont. We cannot find words severe enough to describe the condition found, but wish to condemn the building, which is utterly unfit for such a purpose.

"H. H. WHEELER, Foreman."

GOT SIX MONTHS

TYNGSBORO HEN THIEF SENTENCED YESTERDAY.

Joseph J. Kedey, an old offender, was sentenced by Judge Stevens in the Middlesex superior court, at East Cambridge, yesterday, to states prison for not less than three nor more than four years, the first day to be solitary confinement, for breaking and entering O'Donnell's drug store on Cambridge street, Cambridge, on the night of March 10 and stealing several hundred cigars.

In the same court August Klin, alias Steven Summers, was given two years in the house of correction for stealing tools valued at $75, the property of Silas Morash and W. H. Rice of Hammond street, Cambridge.

James Henry pleaded guilty to breaking and entering, and stealing six hens and a wheelbarrow from Dudley S. Page of Tyngsboro, June 9. He was given six months at hard labor at the house of correction.

Edward Gleason received a sentence of two years in the house of correction for stealing a watch in Watertown and Thomas Brown, for illegal liquor keeping, paid a fine of $50!

The jury in the case of Joseph Elwood of Boston, charged with breaking and entering the drug store of Dr. Saunders, Cambridge street, near Fifth street, in June, was found guilty.

Bradford G. Stockton, a furniture dealer and piano mover of Cambridge, was found guilty by a jury of an assault on Lorena, the 11-year-old daughter of George Roffe of 76 Clarke street, Cambridge, Aug. 29. He will be sentenced Monday.

On the stand Stockton said that the little girl was in his yard taking an armful of his wood, and he called to her to drop it, which she did and ran toward her home. He said he picked up a stick of wood and chased her, and that while she was climbing through the window he hit her with the stick three times. He accounted for her torn clothing by saying it might have been caused when he grabbed her.

Stockton has a long record of arrests, on charges of assault and battery, drunkenness and keeping a disorderly house.

BODY FOUND

MAN'S HEAD STUCK FAST IN MUD.

ALBANY, Sept. 16—A man was seen to jump from the New York Central railroad Maiden Lane bridge into the river on Monday. He did not come to the surface. The man fell head first with such force that his head and shoulders were embedded firmly in the muddy river bottom. This was learned today when the body, with the aid of a drag, was pulled up feet first out of the mud. It proved to be that of John Guider, a railroad employee. He jumped through the open ties in an attempt to avoid a train.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

This coming week a special attraction is scheduled for the Academy of Music, and one which is positive to please everybody. It is the drama, "Jim Bludso," the play being founded on "The Pike County Ballads," by the late John Hay. This play was originally staged by Mr. Severin De Deyn, and that gentleman will play the title role next week. The scene of the drama is in the lowlands of Pike county, Missouri, where the people had to resort to the use of levees to keep the angry waters of the Mississippi river from breaking into and flooding their lands. "Jim Bludso," a rough, uncouth and ignorant, but good hearted fellow, is the hero. He is the engineer of the "Prairie Bell" which plys up and down the river. His little son, "Gabe," called "Little Breeches," is an interesting character and his father thinks the world of him. "Banty Tim," a negro, who is not wanted in Pike county, is a prominent character.

The piece is finely written and well staged. Tickets are now on sale at the box office. Popular prices as usual.

LOWELL HORSE

Peacherina Won Race at Concord

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 16.--The Concord fair came to a successful ending yesterday afternoon. The harness races monopolized the attention of yesterday's crowd. It took but one heat to decide the postponed 2.15 class trotting event, as Nancy Nelson took the pole at the turn and was never headed.

The postponed 2.20 event finally went to Lou Wilkes. At the conclusion of the race the judges announced that all pools and bets on the race were declared off, but gave no reason for the action.

Although it was won in straight heats the 2.25 trot was a rattling good contest, in which Chester W. Lasell's 4-year-old gelding composed prayed himself every inch a race horse.

The 2.25 pace was an easy straight heat victory for Owen Carney's mare Peacherina, and was her maiden victory.

The 2.18 pace furnished the share of the excitement. In the first heat the Boston pacer Budweiser broke his check rein at the upper turn and tried to turn a somersault, and in this he partially succeeded. He threw out Collins, his driver, and landed in a heap himself. Neither horse nor driver was seriously hurt. Mr. Linnehan, the horse's owner, decided that the hobbled pacer had cared enough for the day and drew him. After the second heat the judges unseated he drivers of Gen. Star and X-Ray. Tom Marsh was put up behind Gen. Starr and Walter Cox behind X-Ray. Cox gave the latter a mighty strenuous drive, but the winner of the first two heats, Melpomene, won the deciding one from X-Ray, by half a length in a whipping finish.

RECEPTION

TENDERED TO MR. AND MRS. STEPHEN J. KIRBY.

A very pleasant farewell reception was tendered last night to Mr. Stephen J. Kirby, for many years connected with the assessors' office, and his estimable wife, who are about to leave for California where they will reside with their daughter.

The reception took place at the home of Mrs. Titus on Merrill avenue and was given by friends from the Centralville M. E. church.

A fine program of music was given, consisting of the following selections: Piano solo, H. B. Stewart; song, Miss Titus; song, Mr. Worth; song, Miss Cluer; duet, Miss Titus and Mr. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby were presented with a dozen silver spoons by Mrs. Kirby's Sunday school class and the Ladies' Aid society of the church, the presentation speech being made by Rev. Dr. Whitaker.

After the musical program refreshments were served and a sociable evening was spent. Many regrets and wishes of success for the future were expressed and the party said good-night at a late hour.

Mrs. Kirby is the retiring president of the Ladies' Aid society and a very prominent worker of the Centralville M. E. church, where she will be greatly missed.

POLITICAL NOTES

Lists of delegates to a republican county convention were filed last evening at a meeting of all the republican ward committees held at republican headquarters.

No delegations had been filed by any candidates and the law provides in that event, that the ward committees shall file lists immediately. In wards 4, 5 and 9 lists were filed also for the representative conventions, ward 4 for the 25th and the other two for the 27th districts.

It was stated at headquarters that Louis P. Turcotte whose name appears on both lists filed for ward seven to the councillor convention desires to withdraw his name from the Fletcher delegation.

The list of delegates to the democratic state convention from ward four of this city are pledged to Gen. Nelson A. Miles for governor.

Fred H. Farnham, having heard reports to the effect that he is to withdraw from the mayoralty contest, states that he is in the contest to a finish.

Joe's opening social, Prescott hall, Sat. night. Music Hibbard's orchestra.

EXPORTS

BIG GROWTH IN OUR FOREIGN TRADE.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The exports of the United States for the first eight months of the calendar year exceeded those of the same period last year by $115,149,568, the total value reaching $966,353,025. The imports for the some months, valued at $770,345,509, show a comparative increase of $103,076,445. The foreign trade of the United States for that period was therefore $218,226,013 greater than in the corresponding months of 1904, and the balance of trade in favor of this country was $196,007,216, against $173,934,693, a gain of $12,073,123.

The imports of gold in the eight months amounted to $24,699,625, a comparative falling off of $39,764,010, and the exports aggregated $41,265,017, a decrease of $38,030,443, leaving a net gain of $723,567.

For the month of August the exports, amounting to $117,453,581, the largest ever reached for that month, exceeded those of August, 1904, by $25,199,700. The imports, aggregating $95,826,548, were $9,088,650 greater than last year. The gold exports for the month aggregated $274,153 only, against $10,762,818 in August of last year, and the imports were valued at $3,146,223, against $7,764,491 last year.

Miss Rose Hanlon is a student at the Lowell Commercial college.

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gives strength and rosy health

SOLOMON FINE

Alleged Counterfeiter Lived in Lowell

Solomon Fine, formerly of Lowell, his wife, Mabel, and Daniel Morrison, who were arrested in the west end, Boston, Thursday on a charge of making and passing counterfeit 25 and 50 cent pieces, and who were found at 66 Bowdoin street, were taken to police headquarters yesterday morning and photographed and measured for the rogues' gallery, after which they were turned over to the United States officials.

When Chief Watts had the prisoners before him Mrs. Fine said her maiden name was Carleton, that she is a native of Prince Edward Island, and was married last May to Fine in Boston. She is 18 years old.

Mrs. Fine accused Morrison to his face of having made the molds from which the coins were turned out, and also of having done all the work of making the bad money, which he gave to her husband to pass. She says she never passed any of the alleged money.

The police say that investigation has brought to light the fact that a very large amount of the bogus coins have been circulated in the west end.

SACRED CONCERT.

A sacred concert will be given at the Academy of Music Sunday afternoon and evening, Sept. 17. The concert will be conducted after the style of those held last year and which proved to be so popular with the theatre-going people of this city.

There will be a fine collection of moving pictures, prominent among which will be "Baffles the Dog," "Off for the Holidays," "Sleighing Party," and many others.

Daniel J. Sullivan, better known as "Our Sully," who played with the Huntington-DeDeyn Stock company in this city last year, and who will make his initial appearance in "Jim Bludso," will be heard in connection with illustrated songs. He will sing "The Holy City" in connection with the moving pictures, illustrating that song; "Good Night, Beloved, Good Night," and "Only a Private."

The concerts are for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church, and the prices will be 10 and 20 cents in the afternoon and 10, 20 and 30 cents at night.

HAVE YOU TRIED

the new Quick Desserts that grocers are now selling? They are justly termed "Easy to Make" as all ingredients are in the package. Three complete products—

D-Zerta

Quick Pudding and D-Zerta Perfect Jelly Dessert at 10c. per package, and D-Zerta Ice Cream Powder, 2 packages for 25 cents. Five choice flavors of each. A trial will convince you how easy it is to have the finest desserts with no labor and little expense. Order to-day.

ELITE RINK

$10 Gold Piece Given Away

To the lady presenting the prettiest pillow for the "Elite cozy corner." Contest closes Saturday, Sept. 23.

Sessions from 10 a.m. until 11.30 p.m.
Telephone 1660.

Colonial Orchestra—Admission Free.

Business and Money

The Mass. Mut. Accident Association of 161 Devonshire street, Boston, is about to re-organize its agency force in Lowell and vicinity to sell its dollar a month industrial accident and health policy. The sales are everywhere enormous, and the right man can make big money. Address at once,

C. P. LYFORD,
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Open daily. Private lessons given to learners only in the forenoon from 10 to 12.
Afternoon session from 2 to 4.30.
Evening, 8 to 10.30.
Special for Saturday forenoon, children 15c, from 10 to 12.
Saturday evening, 7.15 to 9.15—9.30 to 11.30.
Ladies Free Downstairs.

NEW BOWLING ALLEYS AND POOL PARLORS.

Contest for prizes now on till Friday night at 10.30.
A prize for best bowler on duck pins.
A prize for best bowler on big pins.
A prize for best bowler on candle pins.

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TAKEN TO CANADA

Alfred Lavigne Takes Little George Martin

WITHOUT NOTIFYING BOY'S PARENTS

And Refuses to Send Him Back

Alfred Lavigne, who formerly ran a bakery on Middlesex street, recently sold his business and departed for Canada, taking with him 12-year-old George Martin, the son of George Martin, a Moody street baker, without the knowledge or consent of the boy's parents. He was located at Waterloo, P. Q., a few days ago, and the boy's parents immediately communicated with him, demanding the return of their son. In reply thereto, a letter has been received to the effect that the boy is better off than he would be with his parents, and that Lavigne has no intention of sending the little fellow back to the states.

Lawyer Gullet, acting for the boy's parents, will institute legal proceedings to get the boy back.

It seems that the boy was in the habit of hanging around Lavigne's shop, and sometimes spent the night there. Almost four months ago the boy remained away from home longer than usual, and the parents becoming alarmed, went to Lavigne's shop, where they learned that Lavigne had removed to Canada, taking the boy with him. Mr. Martin at once consulted J. H. Gullet, who, after some correspondence, located Lavigne and the boy at Waterloo, P. Q.

Mr. Gullet at once communicated with Lavigne, notifying him that he must restore the lad to his parents. In response he has received a letter, written on a sheet of legislative council notepaper, but signed unofficially by a name not known to the counsel. The writer of the letter states that Mr. Lavigne has told him the circumstances and goes on to say that the boy is on a farm, with the Lavigne family, that he is kindly treated and is much better off than he would be in the city, and that in the writer's opinion he ought to remain there.

VESSEL ON FIRE

Fishing Schooner Had Perilous Trip

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Sept. 16.—With her cabin on fire and her gasoline tank in imminent danger of being ignited, the Gloucester fishing steamer Veda H. McKown, Captain Sol Jacobs, anchored in this harbor during last night. Three boat loads of sailors from the United States monitor Arkansas, which was at anchor nearby, went to the assistance of the steamer and the flames were finally extinguished. The interior of the cabin was badly burned and the captain and crew lost most of their personal effects.

The fire started when the vessel was off Plymouth, from a spark which fell into some gasolene which had been spilled on the cabin floor. From Plymouth to Wood End, the steamer was worked along, the crew making every effort to put out the fire. Off Wood End, it was decided that owing to the danger of an explosion of the tank, the majority of the crew should go ashore. Accordingly, all but Captain Jacobs and one other man took to the boats. The two men left aboard succeeded in bringing the McKown into Provincetown harbor, where they anchored and signalled for assistance to the monitor Arkansas. The flames were extinguished before they reached the tank.

Captain Jacobs said he would proceed to Gloucester today and make repairs there. The net tonnage of the Veda H. McKown is 83 and she carries a crew of 17 men.

KILLED BY CAR

Somerville Man Struck by a Trolley

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—An unidentified man about 45 years, and in whose pocket was found a card bearing the name "Erik Watson, 22 Somerville, Mass." was run down and killed by a trolley car in the Bowery early today. The other side of the card bore the name "E. Merrill." A witness of the accident declared that the motorman, after stopping the car, started it up again while the man's body lay under the wheels. The motorman disappeared.

ANNIVERSARY

OBSERVED BY THE O'DONNELL DRY GOODS COMPANY.

A year ago the O'Donnell Dry Goods company opened its doors to the public with an elegant and complete line of dry goods and now it is one of the most successful establishments in this city. The stunning display in their large show windows attracted every passerby as the exhibit was the finest ever seen in this city and reflects great credit on the window trimmer, Mr. John J. Boulger, who has become an expert in this line. In the interior of the store the same grand effect is carried out. The leading feature of course is the millinery display, which is very elaborate with picture hats and London and Parisian novelties as well as many beautiful creations of their own milliners. The cloak and suit department is the next in importance and attracted great attention. Mr. James A. Kelly bought largely in the New York markets of suits, coats and furs. This year the firm intends to make a specialty of furs and the prices will be within reach of everybody. It is said furs will be more popular than ever this winter, and with their large variety they will easily be the leaders in this line of goods. Their dress goods department is very large and the tendency is toward plain weaves in soft, subdued colors. Every new shade and weave from looms at home and abroad you will find. There are Muscovites, Prunella, Opaula, Henriettas, French Battate, Cappetta, Phantom Checks, Poplins, Silk and Henrietta, Melrose, Panama, Silk and Wool Plaids, Tailor Suitings, Broadclothes, Checked Worsted and kindred fabrics in a full series of new shades, including Burgundy, Bronze, Leaf Green, Olive, Plum, Smoke and many other shades.

All the departments such as the lace, ribbon and gents' furnishings are complete in stock and add much to the general display.

In the basement the china and domestic utensils are on sale, and the glass and silverware made this also a very attractive department. This domestic department is on the ground floor of the Fellows building on Middle street and is perhaps the largest and most complete department of the kind in this city. Comforters, blankets, table linen and everything you might ask for in the domestic line can be found here. To add to the attraction the Middlesex orchestra discoursed sweet music all the afternoon. The opening was a grand success in every particular. Miss Curran who has charge of the millinery department and her many assistants were busy receiving orders. Mr. Kelly and Mrs. Henry with a number of assistants were receiving orders for coats and garments, and the whole establishment appeared to be doing a prosperous business.

STREET LIGHTING

Committee Takes Up Competitive Tests

The committee on street lighting, Aldermen Carmichael and Fairweather, met last night and listened to suggestions and arguments relative to the proposed scheme of competitive demonstration in street lighting between the Lowell Gas Co. and the Lowell Electric Light Co. Aldermen Allen and Burke of the committee on wires were present and the lighting companies were represented by counsel, William H. Bent for the Lowell Electric Light Co., Frank E. Dunbar for the Lowell Gaslight Co., and John C. Burke for the Cleveland Lighting company.

Manager Wilcox of the Lowell Electric Light corporation was among those present and joined in the discussion of competitive lighting.

Mr. Dunbar, in regard to the proposed competitive exhibition, stated the willingness of his company to enter the competition side by side with the electrics, the light burning at alternate hours, if necessary indefinitely, and favored Westford street or upper Moody street for the exhibition.

When Alderman Carmichael asked "What about the Cleveland company?" Mr. Dunbar said he did not consider it a matter of competition of two gas companies, but between the local gas company and the Electric Light company.

Manager Wilcox of the Electric Light corporation agreed to this. He also mentioned Marlborough street as a good place for the exhibition on account of its proximity to the car lines and there would be a space of about 1000 feet.

Chief Hosmer did not offer any suggestions.

Alderman Allen favored Tyler street, as he did not believe in tearing up paved streets for gas pipes. He said there were enough poor streets now.

Mr. Bent had a lengthy paper drawn up proposing to have the exhibition in Paige, French and Lee streets, and the connecting streets; also in Marlborough street, beginning Sept. 20 and running to the 24th, inclusive.

Mr. Dunbar thought Mr. Bent's proposition unfair, inasmuch as some of the streets named were "backed right up to the dynamos of the electric company and would get more juice than in a distant part of the city.

Mr. Bent answered this by stating that Mr. Dunbar's words showed him to be unfamiliar with the location of the dynamos of the electric corporation; that they were in Perry street, Belvidere, instead of near French, Paige and Lee streets. He also said the diminution of pressure which was very slight, obtained in the gas pipes as it did in the electric wires.

"I want to be wholly fair in this," said Mr. Bent, "the electric light corporation is thankful for a chance to show its light under perfectly fair conditions; they want to take no unfair advantage of any competitor."

The committee adjourned to meet at 4.30 this afternoon.

ACCIDENTS

LITTLE GIRL WAS BITTEN BY A DOG.

Olla Anderson, aged four years, while attempting to take a bone away from a small fox terrier dog, at her home, 675 Gorham street, yesterday received bites about the face and hands. She was taken to the Emergency hospital where she received treatment.

Adil Mengeon, aged 20 years, and residing at 4 Bleachery street, had the index finger of the left hand caught in the rollers of a spinning frame at the United States Bunting mills yesterday. Four stitches were taken in the wound at the Emergency hospital.

William H. Wilson, aged 3, fell on the sidewalk in front of his home, 3 Newhall street yesterday, sustaining a lacerated scalp wound which required three stitches to close. His injuries were treated at the Emergency hospital.

Alfred Laflamme, of 57 Liberty street, injured the fingers of the right hand in a staking machine at the American Hide and Leather company's factory yesterday afternoon. He received lacerations and abrasions of the fingers.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A farm in Tyngsboro; six acres; a large number of fruit trees. If purchased at once will sell at a great bargain. Inquire Tyngsborough Woods Corner. Fred Patnaud.

WANTED

WANTED—By a man with 30 years' experience, a partner with $8000 to start in the spool and bobbin business in fine location. Address G. S. M., 19 Whiting street, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED—From 25 to 75 cans of milk daily. For particulars inquire at 512-514 Merrimack street. P. D. L.

WANTED—Boarders. Inquire at 23 Richmond, corner of Lawrence streets.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture and stoves. Apply 31 Rock street.

WANTED—Washing and cleaning by day or hour. Address K. M., Sun office.

WANTED—Nursing, by an experienced hospital nurse, or would care for an invalid. Inquire 114 Chapel street.

WANTED—Store or building for boxball bowling. Must be from 50 to 75 feet long, and 20 to 25 feet wide. Address W. H. Wood, Canoble Lake park, Salem, N. H.

WANTED—A good two-tenement house or residence. Belvidere or Westford street. No stable. Give particulars, also lowest price. S, Sun office.

WANTED REAL ESTATE—No matter where located, I can sell your estate for you. Customers waiting. Send detail description with photo. Frank W. Coughlin, 172 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Washing and cleaning by day or hour. Address C. E., Sun Office.

WANTED—Everybody to try one dollar's worth of our dry hard wood kindlings. Wm. K. Aldrich Co., 589 Dutton st.

WANTED—A house of 9 or 10 rooms to rent in vicinity of ward 7. Address E. A. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

WANTED

A GOOD TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE OR RESIDENCE. BELVIDERE OR WESTFORD ST. NO STABLE. GIVE PARTICULARS, ALSO LOWEST PRICE. S, SUN OFFICE.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Magnificent set of furs. Long, wide stole and pillow muff, rich brown, natural Opossum. Cost $50, I will sacrifice for $12. Perfect and never worn. Address Mrs. B. R., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Ten Pullets, some laying, 60 cents each. Address M. O., Sun office.

FOR SALE—$150 buys a beautiful cabinet. See Gordon, 219 Central street.

FOR SALE—A good hen house and hens, sold together or separate. Inquire at 200 Thorndike street.

FOR SALE—Bicycle, cheap. Pierce chainless, cushion frame, coaster brake, nearly new. Inquire 243 Dutton street.

FOR SALE—A farm in Tyngsboro, 14 acres more or less, 1 1-2 miles from carline, buildings on the place. Inquire at 495 School street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A cottage in Trull street, North Tewksbury. 2 1-2 acres of land. 135 Summer street, city

FOR SALE—At a bargain, Edison Home Phonograph in good order, and also a large horn and about five dozen records; also a case that will carry four dozen, and will sell at a great bargain. Address Phonograph, Sun office.

FOR SALE—New and second-hand boxball bowling alleys. Address W. H. Wood, Manager, Canoble Lake park, Salem, N. H.

FOR SALE—Boarding house, 23 rooms. Will sell cheap on account of poor health. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Portuguese poodles. Geo. Wray, No. 543 School street.

FOR SALE—Furniture, will sell at a bargain if bought at once. 104 Central st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two pool tables. Inquire 455 Lawrence st.

FOR SALE—The largest St. Bernard dog in the city. Inquire at 139 Tenth st.

FOR SALE—A road wagon. Inquire Saturdays at 56 Franklin st., from 12 to 2 p. m., or first camp above Vesper-Country club on Boulevard.

FOR SALE—A nicely furnished lodging house centrally located. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A boarding and lodging house, 22 rooms and all modern conveniences. For further particulars inquire 9 Sayles st.

FOR SALE—Dry bobbin wood, 10 bushels, (5 baskets) $1.00. W. H. Parker & Sons. Telephone 1074-3., cor. Rogers and Perry sts.

VALUABLE CORNER LOT for sale containing about 4700 feet, suitable for the erection of a 3 tenement block situated by the North common. No better site for building can be found. Owner about to leave the city. Apply to C. F. Keyes, 52 Central st.

LEGAL NOTICES

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX:

Respectfully libels and represents Rikli Arkain of Lowell, in said County; that he was married to Florence Arkain, now of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada at said Lowell on the eleventh day of October, A. D. 1903, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Florence Arkain lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit; at Lowell in said County; that the libellee in order to induce the libellant to enter into said contract of marriage falsely represented to the libellant that she was chaste and virtuous and physically competent to marry, which representations the libellant then believed to be true, but that in fact she was not chaste and virtuous and physically competent to marry, but was at that time pregnant by some other man than the libellant with a child of which she was delivered on the twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1904; that she concealed said fact from the libellant, in consequence of which false representations and concealment the libellant was induced to enter into said marriage, and that immediately upon the discovery of said fact the libellant ceased to cohabit with the libellee and has not since cohabited with her, Wherefore your libellant prays that the marriage aforesaid between himself and the said Florence Arkain may be declared null and void, because the same was procured by said fraudulent and false representations, and by reason of said fraud so practiced upon him, and that such further relief may be granted to your libellant in the premises as to right and law may pertain.

Dated this sixth day of September, A. D. 1905.

his
Rikli X Arkain.
mark

Witness to signature,
Eugene L. Woodbury.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss., Superior Court, September 8, A. D. 1905.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of November next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest:

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

E. H. WHITE

137 CENTRAL STREET

FOR SALE—Cottage house near Loring and Westford street; bath, hot water, furnace heat; in fine condition. $2500.

FOR SALE—Fine piece of investment property, income $5000 per year; 8 per cent. net on investment.

FOR SALE—In genteel neighborhood, a very nice lodging house. Rooms never empty, nice class of lodgers. Just the place for a man and wife to do light housekeeping and get a nice income from the rooms.

TO RENT—Cottage house, Bath, hot water. A very nice lawn. Rent $15.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A boy to learn awning and sign business. Cross Awning and Sign Company, 209 Dutton street.

WANTED—Men to distribute samples, $3 daily, steady, no canvassing. "Oliver" 196 20th street, Chicago.

WANTED—Any one can learn to draw. Why don't you? Illustrators earn large salaries. Write today for information and secure free our Employment Offer and 116-page book. Correspondence Institute of America. Box 706, Scranton, Penn.

WANTED—Four or five carpenters. Apply Avery Bros., 16 Thorndike street.

SALESMAN of ability can find permanent employment in local territory on Chambers' Encyclopædia and Standard Reference Works, first-class references necessary. J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, Penn.

WANTED—A boy about 15 years old at Caesar Misch's store, Central street.

WANTED—An experienced kitchen girl at 432 Central street.

WANTED—A young girl or middle aged lady to mind baby 14 months old. Apply 572 Bridge street.

WANTED—A sober experienced all-round cook at 92 John street. No others need apply.

WANTED—A respectable old or middle-aged lady to mind house while woman is at work. Inquire at Sun office.

JAPAN-RUSSIA WAR—Complete official history. Bonanza for canvassers. Extra terms. Outfit free. General agents wanted on salary. Ziegler Co., Philadelphia.

WANTED—A good capable man to work on farm. Apply to S. P. Pike, 528 Middlesex street, Lowell.

WANTED—A young girl in variety and confectionery store. Apply 136 Lilley avenue.

"METCALF" WANTS—Female or male help out of work to call on him and be happy.

WANTED—At once, an experienced table girl at 726 Suffolk street.

WANTED—An experienced table girl at Mrs. Wood's, 726 Suffolk street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 111 Westford street.

WANTED—A table girl at the Merrimac House.

BOARDERS, TOPPERS AND STANDARD KNITTERS WANTED—Piece work or standard pay. No strike. Apply to E. Refler, 23 Merrimack street, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A woman to assist at housework and go home nights. Apply 215 Smith street.

WANTED—Men for farm work. A. B. Adams, Chelmsford Centre

WANTED—Men to work on farm at H. L. Shedd's garden, South Lowell. Tel. 194-3.

WANTED—A man or a boy to mow grass. $1.50 a day. A week's work or two. Cor. Main and Shawsheen streets, Tewksbury. Reading electrics. Also cranberry pickers; pay 50 cents a bushel.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,075 per year, payable weekly. Expenses advanced. Address Geo. Q. Clows, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A boy to work around place. Address D. E., Sun office.

WANTED—Experienced house girls. 434 Westford street. Employment office.

WANTED—A kitchen girl at 35 Worthen street.

WANTED—Three girls to canvass the most wonderful hose supporters ever worn. See them at No. 25 Central street.

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ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—First class table girls, chamber girls, cooks and kitchen girls for seashore and mountains; high wages; also a few general house girls wanted. Prescott Employment Bureau, 34 Prescott st., in the Jewelry store.

BOY WANTED

A good smart boy about 16 years of age can secure position with chance for advancement. Must be neat appearing, capable and trustworthy. Address D. L., Sun Office.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A small hand bag, with silver glasses and chain, between Sixth street and Central street. Call at Sun office and receive reward.

LOST—A black pocketbook, between Davis square and London street. Return to 750 Gorham street.

LOST—On Westford or Princeton road, between Chelmsford line and Broadway, handle marked Geo. E. Leavitt, containing gentleman's clothing. Finder please leave at 475 Broadway, or at H. L. Mills, Westford road, just over the line.

LOST—A black and steel crocheted purse, between upper Merrimack street and Pawtucketville. Finder rewarded at 17 Fourth avenue.

LOST—A sum of money between Plain street and Chelmsford centre. Finder please return to 173 A street and receive reward.

FOUND—September 12, a pocketbook containing a good sum of money. The owner may have by proving the same. Apply to Smith Bros., 145 Liberty street.

LOST—Small brindle bull dog, four white feet, white stripe on forehead, short tail. Reward at 131 Cabot street. C. Williams.

LOST—Small hand bag between Tremont street and Lakeview avenue. Leave at this office.

LOST—A class pin with initials G. S. G., 1903; Nile green; between Watson avenue and Westford street, or on Grand street. Reward at 1 Watson avenue.

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NOTICE—This is to notify the public that I, George Lolas, have purchased the grocery store of Thomas Psalios, at 468 Market street. All persons having bills against this firm should send them to Thomas Psalios before next Saturday.

OUR SPECIAL PRESENT for this week is a large size, grey enamelled cooking kettle with a pound of Tea or two pounds of Coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 95 Merrimack street.

HAND WORK laundry. All work guaranteed to be first-class and done at short notice. We also clean and press clothing at 540 Middlesex street. George King, proprietor.

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MISCELLANEOUS

A NURSE trained in maternity hospital, especially for confinement cases. Highest medical references, terms moderate. Mrs. Battile, Maternity Nurse, 24 Third street.

DON'T FAIL to see Zo-Zo, the dog-face calf at the Lowell fair.

MME. WATSON EMERSON—Clairvoyant; psychological readings and instruction in elocution and physical culture. Hours, 9 to 12, 1 to 5, 7 to 9.30; 474 Central street.

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REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.—Will paper your room, furnishing paper, and border to match the same, including the hanging for $2.00; special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc., first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Racket), 303 Middlesex st.

MONEY—The best place in the city to borrow money is from the U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st.

CHIMNEYS repaired at short notice with Portland cement, mortar, also slate roofs repaired. Smith Brothers, residence 145 Liberty street. Tel. 1593-2.

NOW IS THE TIME to bring in your Panama hats and have them cleaned. We have all the latest shapes in stiff hats. We will give a hat cleaner free with every purchase of a hat at J. Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The famous hatter.

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PILES, HEMORRHOIDS—Rectal trouble sufferers, I am no free sample deposit or C. O. D. fakir. I was positively cured years standing. Have cured hundreds severe cases by the formula of a specialist of highest standing. Formula—Advice 50 cts. Treatment inexpensive. M. Adams, 220 A, Pearl st., Somerville, Mass.

GENERAL REPAIRING, tenements specially. 1 Charles Court, off Charles st. 2 flights up.

MIRACLE. The great German rust exterminator. Takes the rust off lawn mowers, cutlery, in fact everything, without labor. Once used always used. For sale by all leading hardware houses. Price 25 cents. Hugo Hill, Manufacturer.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair, harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

HALL TO LET

A fine hall 30x41½ feet, with large ante-rooms, closets, etc., in the Harrington building, 52 Central street. Inquire at The Sun Office.

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TO LET—At 52 Fay street, cottage of seven rooms, excellent repair. Inquire opposite, or 18 Burns street.

TO LET—Lodging house of 22 rooms in good order. Rent $30 a month. Apply 465 Central street.

TO LET—Elegant house of ten rooms. Hot and cold water, bath, gas and furnace heat, in Belvidere. Rent low. Apply 468 Central street.

TO LET—Two floors of a large building, suitable for light manufacturing purposes in a good location. Rent low. Apply 468 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, situated at 6 Franklin court. This tenement is the same as a cottage house, convenient for small family. Apply at premises.

TO LET—A nice six-room tenement on Merrill street. Apply 451 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Tenement of five rooms, pantry, bath, hot water and shed. Small family. 30 Second avenue, Pawtucketville.

TO LET—House of seven rooms, steam heat, all modern improvements. Inquire 112 Walker street.

TO LET—A nice sunny front room, 432 Central street.

TO LET—A six-room tenement and bath, hot and cold water. In good neighborhood. Inquire at 32 Phillips street.

TO LET—A house of twelve rooms in good locality, corner of Seventh and Methuen streets. They can also secure all the carpets and window shades they desire, all in good order and will be sold at a great bargain. In use less than one year. Inquire at 54 Seventh street.

TO LET—Tenement of seven rooms on Lawson street. Inquire at 61 Queen street.

TO LET—Five-room cottage in Pawtucketville. Apply 47 Davis street, Pawtucketville.

TO LET—Tenements at 688 Lakeview avenue. Inquire of M. D. Chelmsford, 5 Aiken street.

TO LET—A nice tenement of 3 rooms at 426 Chelmsford street.

TO LET—In Pawtucketville, attractive six-room tenement in thorough repair. Bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing. Pleasantly located. Two car lines. Apply 89 Varnum avenue.

TO LET—Two 8-room cottages, hot and cold water and bath room. Inquire at 130 Howden street.

OFFICE TO RENT—Best location in the city. Frank J. Green, real estate and auctioneer, 98 Central street.

TO LET—House of ten rooms, bath, pantry, hot and cold water, furnace heat, situated at corner of Fort Hill avenue and Andover street. Inquire at 9 Fort Hill avenue.

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms with bath, $2, 2.50, and $3. 166 Mt. Vernon st.

ROOMS with or without board at 42 John st., Boott corp.

TO LET—One half of double house, modern improvements, 43 Royal st. Apply at 55 Sherman st.

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, bath, hot water. Inquire 470 Rogers st.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms and bath. 9 Westford st. G. D. Kimball, 64 Central st.

ROOMS TO LET suitable for a wheelwright or for light manufacturing. W. K. Aldrich, 587 Dutton st.

TO LET—At Lakeview Terrace furnished rooms, gentlemen preferred. Apply on premises. Mrs. Pratt.

ROOM WITH POWER to let in card building, Shattuck st. Wm. E. Badger, Locks & Canals office.

TO LET—Corner Windsor & Westford streets, two six room flats, all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas, range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 43 Fletcher st. Tel. 811-2.

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For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.33, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w1.15, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.25, 3.15, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.30, w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.47, 2.35, 3.35, 5.03, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 3.55, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

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For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.25, 3.00, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

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For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, w1.1, 3.15, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

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For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m. (Does not connect for Old Orchard.)

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 train does not run Saturdays) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at w1.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.43, 11.07 a. m.; 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45, 10.30 a. m.; 2.25 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, 7.43, 9.23, 11.07, a. m.; 1.56, 2.55, 4.28, 5.22 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.21, 8.45, 9.20, 10.30 a. m.; 2.25, 5.10 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.01 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington and Hillsboro, 9.01 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Keene and Way Stations, 9.01 a. m.; 4.07 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 12.23 (to Nashua), 7.30, 9.01, *2.33, *3.59, *10.39 a. m.; 12.03, 1.00, *1.23, *1.54, 3.40, (4.07 to Nashua), 5.37, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02, *10.39 a. m.; *12.03, 2.03, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, 9.23 a. m.; b*12.03, 1.39, 5.33, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30, 9.23 a. m.; 1.39, 5.33, p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River, b10.23 a. m.; 1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont Line, *9.39 a. m.; *b12.03, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *b10.39 a. m.; *b2.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

References:
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CALL TO VOTERS

Republican Machine Gets a Rap

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The Massachusetts committee of 100 on reciprocal trade, which is composed chiefly of republicans, issued today a call to republican voters to join with them in their request for the adoption of a plank in the platform of the coming republican state convention, favoring a revision of the tariff. Republican voters are asked to forward a petition to the convention to insert the following in the platform, as well as to nominate candidates whose views are in harmony with the sentiment expressed:

"We demand that hides, coal, iron ore, lumber and wood pulp be placed by congress on the free list and that duties upon manufactured and other articles be reduced wherever existing duties are higher than are needed for any purpose of protection."

The committee declares that the extreme protectionist interests have so far influenced the "Machine" of the republican party of the state that it does not intend to have expression given to the tariff revision sentiment, but instead, to suppress at the convention any genuine declaration in favor of it and to nominate one or more candidates hostile to the policy.

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HOUSE BURNED

Lexington Family Had Narrow Escape

LEXINGTON, Mass., Sept. 16.—The family of Morris F. Conley, a prominent horticulturist, narrowly escaped being burned to death by a fire which destroyed their home early today. The fire started in a nearby barn and the flames, which communicated to the house, spread so rapidly that Mr. and Mrs. Conley, with their children, were compelled to flee from the house in their night clothing in order to escape the flames. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is $3,500; covered by insurance.

W. C. T. U.

The annual convention of the Middlesex County Woman's Christian Temperance union was held in the Congregational church, Wakefield, Thursday, September 14. The day was an ideal autumn day, and the town of Wakefield a very attractive place. The church in which the convention met is a large stone edifice, beautiful without and within. The Congregationalists of Lowell cannot boast of such a building. Three of the Lowell delegates were present. A very cordial welcome was given by the local union to all the delegates of which there was a large number from the various towns. Mrs. Abbie F. Rolfe of Concord, the president, presided as she has for many years with ability and tact. Rev. Guy C. Robbins opened the exercises with prayer. Greeting by Mrs. Thomas Martin, president of the local union. Response by Miss Gowing. The secretary's report for the year was read, after which the president gave one of her usual interesting and earnest addresses. Then came reports of the various departments of work. The noontide hour of prayer was led by Mrs. Martin. The audience was then invited to the vestry to partake of a very tasty lunch served by the Natural Food company of Niagara Falls, N. Y. J. W. Higbee, agent of the company, dined with the convention and gave a very glowing account of the good work the company was doing for the world.

The afternoon exercises were opened by the president. The treasurer's annual report was then given, and the role of delegates called. Election of county officers resulted in the choice of Mrs. Abbie F. Rolfe president, Mrs. J. W. Sage secretary, Mrs. Alfred Boynton treasurer. A beautiful solo was given by a young lady. Then a very interesting address by Mrs. Janette Hill Knox, the state corresponding secretary.

The convention was closed by the singing of the hymn, "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds," and benediction by Rev. Robert Polhamus. These united gatherings of workers pay, in the inspiration gained from one another.

BRAVE TEACHER

Marched Pupils From Burning Building

LAconia, N. H., Sept. 16. Heroism on the part of Miss Rosette Burke a teacher, who carried a crippled child safely to the street, and calmness among the other teachers, alone prevented a harvest of death or injury during a fire which did $7500 damage to the Mechanic school here yesterday.

The fire started near the furnace in the basement and was probably caused by a spark falling into a pile of waste paper. The building is built of wood and the fire rapidly burned up through the two upper floors, but the dense smoke gave the teachers ample warning.

The 200 pupils were quickly assembled and marched into the street, repeated assurances that they were in no danger preventing them from rushing for the exit.

Lulu White, 12, and a cripple, was on the second floor when the flames broke out, and her teacher, Miss Rosette Burke, carried the child to the street.

A boy, name unknown, fearing that he would be cut off by the flames, jumped from a second-story window, but escaped uninjured.

The flames burned up through the centre of the building and the foundations of a cupola which surmounted the structure were burned away, allowing it to fall into the building.

BOMBS FOUND

AMONG CARGO OF A BRITISH STEAMER.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Sept. 16.—Divers have arrived at Jakobstad to thoroughly examine the wreck of the British steamer John Grafton (which was sunk by her crew Sept. 10, after landing a portion of her cargo of arms and ammunition on a barren island in the Gulf of Bothnia). Among the steamer's saved cargo, boxes of bombs and explosives have been found besides the rifles already reported. The investigations of the authorities have thus far failed to throw any light on the incident.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles Parthenais of Spaulding street has returned from a very enjoyable vacation.

Mrs. Cyrille Hebert with her son Cyrille Hebert of St. Paul are the guests of Miss A. Seignerie of this city. Mrs. Hebert was a former resident of Lowell.

Moise L. Daigle of Dracut has gone on an extensive Canadian tour.

Charles Miller and wife of Lowell are the guests of relatives in Haverhill for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Cross of Lowell, former residents of Manchester, have returned to the Queen City and will reside there in the future.

Miss Mildred McMahon has gone to Norwich, Conn., for two weeks as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Carpenter.

Recent guests at the Brown Square hotel, Newburyport, were Messrs. John Mahar and Benjamin Wilkins, Miss Ella Legare and Miss Rose P. Grounder.

Henry O. Brooks has recently been calling on friends in Old Town, Me.

Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Carver accompanied by their two children, Pauline and Clyde, have returned from Dexter, Me., where the children have been living with relatives for several years.

Mrs. William Roberts has recently visited with her sister, Mrs. D. G. Roberts of Skowhegan, Me.

George W. Healey, who for the past year and a half has been embalmer for John H. Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y., has been granted an undertaker's license by the board of health, to do business in this city.

Rev. Ralph Gillam was in the city on Thursday.

Miss Sarah Foster of Chelmsford is spending two weeks in Centre Harbor, N. H.

Miss Ruth Crowell has been visiting at the residence of her uncle, Charles A. Steele of Hudson Centre, N. H. During her stay, in company with her cousin, Miss Myra Steele, a visit was made with the family of Charles W. Spaulding, of Hudson Bridge, N. H.

Miss Delia Thompson has recently visited with her sister, Miss Ida Thompson at the home of A. H. Woorthley, Bristol, N. H.

Dr. J. A. Lapointe of Biddeford, Me., has had as a recent guest, Mr. Arthur Grieward of Lowell.

W. L. Jones has paid a recent visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones of Denmark, Me.

Mrs. Ellen M. Spaulding is spending her vacation in Augusta, Me.

Mrs. Armine Hassett has recently visited relatives in East Rochester N. H.

Miss Margaret MacDougal of Centralville has gone on a visit to Ontario, where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. A. MacDougal.

Mrs. Effie A. Turner of Norwood, Mass., with her daughter, Mrs. J. Frank Adams of Watertown, spent a few days this week with their cousin, Mrs. George E. Dickey of Tyngsboro.

Mrs. William Morris and Miss Connie Cass are visiting in Manchester, N. H., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivory S. York.

Miss Gertrude M. Macdonald is visiting relatives at Newport, R. I.

Gates M. Coburn, with Arthur Morton and Fred Childs of New York, will leave next week for the Mediterranean. After a short tour of the continent Mr. Coburn will sail from Naples for India and Ceylon en route to Australia, returning via Honolulu and San Francisco in the early spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald are rejoicing over the arrival of a 12-pound baby boy at their home in Cumberland road.

Thos. P. Sheehan and wife of Windsor, street have gone to Vermont for two weeks.

Your Wants.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

TO BE HELD AT THE DIFFERENT LOCAL CHURCHES.

BAPTIST.

Branch Street Middlesex st. at eastern junction of Branch and Middlesex st Rev. Asa R. Pitts, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—"The Christian." Evening—"Why I am a Baptist."

Chelmsford Street Free—Chelmsford st., cor. Plain. Rev. Albert E. Kenyon, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at noon.

Morning Sermon by the pastor. Evening: People's service.

Fifth Street—West Fifth street. Rev. H. Grattan Bockrell, pastor, 31 May street. Morning service at 10.30. Bible school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

Morning 10.30, Subject "The Vision of God." Evening, 6.30 "A Politician Converted." You are invited to come.

Mt. Vernon Free Baptist—Mt. Vernon cor. Butterfield st. Rev. F. E. Carver, pastor.

Immanuel Blossom st. Rev. Robert F. True, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Y.P.S.C.E. at 5.30, evening service at 6.30.

First—George st., cor. Church st. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Junior Young People's society at 3.15, evening service at 6.30.

Morning "The Great Church Builder." Evening "The Danger of Slighting God's Invitation." Special Evangelistic singing.

First Freewill—Paige st., Rev. D. H. Martin pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12, evening service 6.30.

French Baptist Church—Ennell st., cor. West Sixth, Rev. Isaac La Fleur, pastor.

North Tewksbury Baptist—Rev. C. L. Pierce, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Evening at 6.30.

Worthen Street—Rev. Arthur P. Wedge, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, evening service at 6.30, C. E. meeting 6.15

Morning—"The Business of Christianity." Evening—"Bethseda."

North Billerica—Chester H. Howe, pastor; morning service at 10.45, Sunday school, 12.10, Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30; evening service at 7.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost. Gospel: St. Matthew vi. 24-33.

St. Patrick's—Masses will be sung in the basement at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. The 10 o'clock mass will be exclusively for the children, while the 11 o'clock mass will replace the usual high mass.

St. Peter's—Gorham st. Rev. Michael Ronan, rector. First mass at 6, second mass at 7, third mass at 8 (new church), children's mass at 9 (old church), fourth mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 7.

St. Michael's—Sixth st. Rev. John J. Shaw, pastor. First mass at 6.30, children's mass at 8.15, second mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30. Sunday school at 1.30, vespers at 3.

Immaculate Conception (Oblate Fathers) East Merrimack st. between Brown and High. Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O.M.I., pastor. First mass at 6, second mass at 7.30, children's mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 6.30.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Oblate Fathers), Moore st., opp. Andrews st., Rev. John P. Reynolds, O.M.I., pastor. First mass at 6, children's mass at 8, second mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 6.30.

St. Jean Baptiste (Oblate Fathers), Merrimack st., cor. Aiken, Rev. Joseph Mangin, O.M.I., rector. First mass at 7, children's mass at 8.30, high mass with sermon at 10, vespers at 6.30.

St. Joseph's (Oblate Fathers.) Lee st. Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., rector. First mass at 7, second mass at 8.30, high mass and sermon at 10, vespers at 3.

St. Louis—West Sixth st., Rev. J. N. Jacques, rector. First mass at 7, second mass at 8.30, high mass and sermon at 10, vespers at 3.

St. Anthony's (Portuguese) Gorham st., cor. Congress. Rev. Joaquin V. Rosa, pastor. First mass at 7.30, second mass at 9, and high mass and sermon at 10.30, vespers at 3.30. Sunday at 3.30 Holy Hour of Adoration.

Church of the Holy Trinity (Polish) High st.—First mass at 8, high mass and sermon at 10.30, vespers at 4.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Eliot—Summer st., cor. Favor. Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor. Rev. J. M. Greene, D. D., pastor emeritus. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Y.P. S.C.E. at 6.

Morning—"The Heart's Heaven." Evening—"The Savious at the Door."

Evangelical—Tyngsboro, Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.30, evening service at 7.

First—Merrimack st. opp. public library. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E., at 5.30, evening at 6.30.

Rev. Dr. Baird will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

First Trinitarian—Dutton st., cor. Music Hall av. Rev. Geo. F. Kenngott, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

Morning—"The Supreme Test." Evening—"A Vision of Two Worlds."

French—Bowers st., cor. Fletcher, Rev. T. G. A. Cole, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

High Street East Merrimack st., cor. High. Rev. C. W. Huntington, D. D., pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12, Y. P. S. C. E., at 6.15, evening service at 7.

Morning Sermon by the pastor. Evening at 7 Miss Carrie E. Clarke will speak of the work of the Hampton Institution

Highland—Westford st., cor. South Carlton. Rev. F. Clayton Welles, pastor. Morning Prayer at 10.30, sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening at 6.30.

Preaching morning and evening by Prof. W. J. Ryder of Andover Theological Seminary.

Kirk Street—Kirk st., opp. French, Rev. Geo. F. Martin, D. D., pastor.

Hillside Church—Rev. J. A. McKnight, pastor. Services at 10.30; Sunday school and pastor's class at 12, Y.P.S.C.E., at 6.15, evening service at 7.

Morning "Sitting By Jesus." Evening C. E. at 6.15, followed by lecture by the pastor.

Central Congregational church, Chelmsford; Rev. A. F. Earnshaw, pastor

Centre—Dracut. Morning service at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

Pawtucket—Pawtucket sq. Rev. Edwin B. Smith, minister. Morning worship at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E.

Pelham Church—Rev. J. L. Hoyle, pastor. Preaching at 10.45, Sunday school 12.

Second Congregational church, North Chelmsford, Rev. D. A. Hudson, pastor. Swedish—London st., Rev. F. A. Lindhelm pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

EPISCOPAL.

St. Anne's, corner Kirk and Merrimack sts., Rev. A. St. John Chambre, D. D., rector.

Holy Communion at 7.45 a. m.; full service and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; evening prayers and sermon, 7 o'clock; Sunday school, 12.

St. John's—Gorham st. near court house, Rev. Leander C. Manchester, rector—Morning service at 10.30; Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30. Communion first and third Sundays and on the greater festivals.

All Saints—Chelmsford. Services and sermon at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7, Holy Communion at 10, first Sunday in the month 10.45.

LUTHERAN.

Swedish—Meadowcroft st., near Moore. Rev. P. E. Asley, pastor. Sunday school at 9, morning service at 10.30, evening service at 7.

METHODIST.

Centralville M. E.—Corner of Bridge and Hildreth sts., Rev. Geo. Whitaker, pastor—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 6.45 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Epworth league at 6 p. m.

Morning—"Jesus, the Priest." Evening "Eternity."

Central Methodist, corner Palge and John sts., Rev. W. W. Shenk, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12m.; Junior League at 4 p. m.; Epworth League, 6.30; preaching at 6.30; French service at 2.30 p. m., Rev. E. D. Lapien in charge.

Morning—"The Fulfilling Christ." Evening—"Our Walk With God a Hidden Way."

First Primitive—Gorham st., cor. Ellsworth, Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 Sunday

Morning—"A Loose End Versus Tied Down." Evening—"A Contrast in Conquest."

First Swedish—Moore st., cor. Bourne, Rev. Oscar W. Johnson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, evening service at 6.30.

Bercan Primitive Methodist, Rev. Barrie Markham, pastor.

Morning—Preaching, subject: "Called to Service." Sunday school, 12 m. Preaching, subject: "Hindrances, Their Help."

Highland—Loring st., cor. Grove, Rev. B. F. Kingsley, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

St. Paul's—Junction of Hurd and Warren sts., Rev. Geo. B. Dean, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school and Bible class at 12, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—"Mary's Significant Request." Evening—"The Principal Thing in Life." the pastor's Bible class for men over 16 years of age meets in the auditorium at the close of morning's service.

Worthen Street—Rev. E. P. Herrick, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 5.30, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—Sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. P. Herrick. Subject—"The Test of Love." Evening—People's service.

MINISTRY-AT-LARGE.

Free Church Middlesex street, near South, Rev. George C. Wright, minister. Morning—"The Deepest Law of Every Man's Life."

PRESBYTERIAN.

First—Appleton st., cor. Davis, Rev. James M. Craig, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12; evening at 7.

Morning—"Rest." Evening—"Encouragement."

Westminster United Presbyterian, Tyler street, Rev. A. P. Gibson, pastor. Services, 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Morning "Bread Upon the Waters." Evening—"The Summer Ended."

UNITARIAN.

First Merrimack st., opp. John, Rev. Chas. T. Billings, pastor. Regular morning service at 10.45, Sunday school after morning service.

Morning—"The Home Beautiful."

Chelmsford Centre Unitarian—Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Young people's guild at 7.

UNIVERSALIST.

First Hurd st., Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Y.P.S. C. E., at 6.

Morning—"The One Way to Be Saved."

Grace Princeton st., cor. South Canton, Rev. Hanson A. Greene, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12.

Morning "Above All Price." Sunday school at 12.05 p. m. Communion at 5 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.

BRIDEGROOM

FAILED TO APPEAR FOR THE WEDDING.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 16.—For the second time Miss Katharine Brett, aged 22, yesterday was deserted at the altar. Two years ago she was to have been married to Alexander Sem, who left on the morning of the wedding day, sending her a note that he had a wife in Jersey City.

Recently she was wooed by John Ryan, son of a retired slate operator. The wedding was fixed for yesterday. St. Lawrence's church was filled with guests and the bride and her attendants were at the altar, when the priest, the Rev. Peter Quinn, made the announcement that owing to the non-appearance of the bridegroom there would not be any wedding. The bride and her family were invited into the rectory, where Mr. Ryan's mother was waiting to inform them that she opposed the wedding and had induced her son to stay away. Miss Brett tore up her gown and collapsed. She is delirious and is in charge of Dr. A. J. Becker.

FINE CONCERT.

A very large and appreciative audience attended the concert given by the Columbia Graphophone company in its store, 63 Central street. The selections were from many celebrated artists, numbers from celebrated orchestras and brass bands. The entire concert was a great success and after the concert was over the management received a large number of orders, which only goes to show the popularity of these music machines.

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Put up in neat pound packages.

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NOTICE OF PRIMARIES

September, 16, 1905

CITY OF LOWELL.

City Clerk's Office, Sept. 16, 1905.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Sections 212 and 213 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws, and Chapter 454, of the Acts of 1903, that Primary meetings of the voters of the political parties (Democratic and Republican) in the City of Lowell, for the State Election of 1905, will be held Tuesday, the 26th day of September current, in the several precincts of the different wards as follows, to wit:

Precinct Ward One.

1—Booth, Elliot street, cor. Middlesex street.
2—Store 311 Market street, Gates Block.
3—Booth, First street, cor. Bridge street.

Precinct Ward Two.

1—Booth, Tremont street, cor. Merrimack street.
2—Booth, Broadway, at Mann school.
3—Booth, North Common, opp. Morrill school.

Precinct Ward Three.

1—Booth, Rock street, cor. Willie street.
2—Ward Room, Engine House, Branch street.
3—Booth, Junction of Middlesex, Branch and Dover streets.

Precinct Ward Four.

1—Booth, Highland street, cor. Thorndike street.
2—Booth, Gorham street, cor. Congress street.
3—Ward Room, Lyon street.

Precinct Ward Five.

1—Booth, George street, cor. Church street.
2—Booth, Hosford square, Central street.
3—Booth, Chestnut street, cor. Fayette street.

Precinct Ward Six.

1—Booth, Bridge street, between 10th and 11th streets.
2—Store, No. 416 Bridge street, between West 4th and West 5th streets.
3—Booth, Lakeview avenue, near Aiken street.

Precinct Ward Seven.

1—Ward Room, Engine House, Fletcher street.
2—Booth, Willie street, at Lighting Station.
3—Booth, Riverside street, cor. Mammoth road.

Precinct Ward Eight.

1—Booth, Chester street, cor. Westford street.
2—Booth, Smith street, cor. Shaw street.
3—Booth, Lincoln street, near Quebec street.

Precinct Ward Nine.

1—Ward Room, Engine House, High street.
2—Booth, Fort Hill avenue, cor. Rogers street.
3—Booth, Moore street, near Gorham street.

The polls to be opened at 12 o'clock m. and closed at 9 o'clock p. m.

Then and there to give in their votes on their respective party ballots for the election of delegates to the Democratic and Republican conventions as follows —State: Councilor, Sixth District; County: In wards 5 and 9, Sixth Middlesex Senatorial District; in wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8, Seventh Middlesex Senatorial District; in wards 4, 7 and 8, Twenty-fifth Middlesex Representative District; in wards 5 and 9, Twenty-seventh Middlesex Representative district; also in wards 1, 2, 3 and 6, for direct nomination of candidates for election to the General Court from the Twenty-sixth Middlesex Representative District.

By order of the Board of Aldermen,
GIRARD P. DADMAN,
City Clerk.

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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1904 was

14,539

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 2, 1905. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE-THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

DRIVE THE CRAFTERS TO THE REAR

The art of grafting has not attained the alarming stage in Lowell that is reported from some other cities; but yet it is a growing evil that must be grappled with and effectually eradicated. When there is wilful waste and needless extravagance in any department it is due to grafting; when the city does not get a dollar's worth in labor or material for every dollar expended, then grafting may be assigned as the unmistakable cause. When any citizen comes to realize that the city is being cheated, he has a right to complain and to call a halt to official grafting. The citizens look to the mayor and city council to keep the grafters at bay; but when it comes to be a recognized fact that most members of the city council will vote for a measure detrimental to the city's interests if paid for so doing, what is the remedy? What, but to send men of a different stripe to the city council. It would be well also to send a few grafters to jail just as a warning to others, but the proof is sometimes hard to procure and very few want to have a hand in bringing the offenders to justice. Clear the city council of grafters and that body can then be relied upon to banish grafting from the various municipal departments.

If the grafters get a hold on the city departments, it will take ten years to drive them out. Therefore, make up your minds now to drive the grafters to the rear.

Lieutenant Peary is now approaching the north pole and it is hoped that he will succeed in finding the evasive spot before he returns. There are some people who, if Peary finds the pole, are wondering what on earth is he going to do with it? Will he bring it home or will he raise the American flag on it?

The republican city committee has come in for a great deal of criticism on account of the open manner in which they solicit contributions from candidates for office; but we are inclined to believe that the course of the committee is perfectly proper. It is impossible to run a campaign of any kind without a reasonable amount of money to pay legitimate expenses, and the candidates for office who are most interested should in all fairness foot the bills. If the law prevents the assessing of candidates it certainly does not make it an offense for candidates to make voluntary offerings to pay legitimate campaign expenses.

The democratic city committee is also justified in obliging every candidate to pay a reasonable amount in order that the campaigns may be conducted properly, and all legitimate bills paid at the end of each contest.

THE CLOVEN HOOF.

It is really amusing to witness the antics of Tom Lawson in showing up the schemers in the domain of high finance. Tom is telling a great deal of truth, nevertheless, and his screeds may result in some good, but we never had much confidence in Tom as a protector of financial morals. He reminds us too much of Satan rebuking sin. He may be working for revenge or he may be making restitution to the public as the result of an awakened conscience but the cloven hoof is there and we would not be at all surprised to see Tom turning a handsome sum as the result of his assaults upon the promoters of frenzied finance. Tom will bear watching all the time.

DISTRIBUTE THE IMMIGRANTS.

It is a great pity that some system is not adopted whereby immigrants arriving at our large seaports could ascertain where they would be most likely to get employment and the benefits of better living, which is their main purpose in coming to America. While these ambitious people are huddled together in the larger cities in idleness there is a dearth of laborers in various parts of the country. The south is clamoring for farm hands to till the soil and gather the crops and is offering inducements of the most promising kind to permanent settlers. In the west they report a scarcity of farm help and still the majority of the immigrants who come to this country are competent farmers who might with very little effort secure good homes for themselves and be a benefit to the nation instead of trying to eke out a living in the slums of the larger cities where a large proportion of them through enforced idleness find their way into the pauper institutions. Here is an opportunity for some philanthropic society, or even congress to remedy the evil. Any able bodied, well disposed man who comes to this country anxious to earn his living should have some means of knowing where he can best locate. In this way he would not add to the evils of immigration which are so often complained of.

INSURANCE SHOULD INSURE.

Every cloud has a silver lining. The cloud which hung over the Equitable Life Insurance Company has turned out to be after all a benefit to the policy holders of the country. The investigation of the Equitable led to the investigation of several other large insurance companies, and the discoveries already made are little less than startling. They all appear to be tarred with the same stick, and no doubt something will be done to regulate the investments and management of the large insurance companies. A life insurance policy should be protected by all the power of the government. It oftentimes constitutes the main dependence of a family, and every safeguard that can be thrown about the insurance business will be welcomed by the general public. Insurance that does not insure is worthless. The investments of an insurance company should be as closely scrutinized as those of a savings bank. We are glad to note that there is a strong sentiment in favor of putting every insurance company in the country on a safe and sound financial basis.

The salaries of these companies are altogether too high and the investments which are frequently made by deceptive methods have too much of the element of risk to be justifiable. All these evils no doubt will be remedied, and life insurance which is at present under a cloud will become a more popular and more reliable investment for those who have families dependent upon them.

SEEN AND HEARD

A pigeon perched on a wing of the golden eagle at city hall attracted a deal of attention yesterday forenoon.

A High School boy, a foot ball player and enthusiast, wearing his sister's drab stockings and patent leather slippers, was one of the attractions in Merrimack square Friday afternoon.

The places of amusement in the United States will soon hear of the "leap frog" railway, an exciting amusement which Londoners are now enjoying, and which has caused considerable comment.

The railway consists of a track about 560 feet long. As the two cars coming in opposite directions are nearing each other and the passengers are in a state of terrification, a collision is averted by a series of guides leading up to a set of rails which pass over the roof of each car, and induces one car to override the other, landing it safely on the rails at the other side.

For the participator in the high speed leap, it is a breathless moment, and it is probable that next year will see the "leap frog" railway in the United States, where it will doubtless prove a successful attraction at some seaside resort.

I'll bear it like a czar, nor curse
Nor hang my luck as it deserves—
Bad as it is it ain't so worse,
And Fate is kind unto my nerves,
Though mob in Petersburg annoy
Me now and then with warlike show,
I'll bear it bravely—for, O Joy,
They're rioting in Tokio!

Let Nihilists by Neva's flood
Throw bombs of nitro-glycerine;
Let Kishinef be washed in blood
And Warsaw make a gory scene—
Distressing to a czar, perhaps,
But I can stand it when I know
Those irritating little Japs
Are rioting in Tokio.

Did some one heave a brick just then?
I laugh ha, ha! I do not care,
Are Cossacks not arresting men
For hiding fireworks on my stair?
Well, let the boys enjoy their fun—
I can't condemn them when I know
The children of the Rising Sun
Are rioting in Tokio.

"Men are so stupid!" she complained to her friend, as he turned back to walk with her. "They have no discrimination. Just now, as I came 'round the corner, I slipped and fell. I picked myself up and slunk away, almost praying that no one had seen me, when a man came up to me, raised his hat, and in a most sympathetic voice said: 'Beg pardon, but here is your handkerchief.' Did you ever hear of anything more inconsiderate?"

Her companion looked puzzled.

"Didn't you want him to pick it up?" he asked.

"Most certainly not, under the circumstances," was the emphatic reply.

"But how is a man to know," was the bewildered question, "what you women want? I guarantee that every man I know would pick up the handkerchief in such a case, under the impression that he was being of service to the girl."

"Yes, I know he would! And I guarantee that every girl I know would rather lose the finest handkerchief she possesses than have any one see her when she has fallen—it's the one time she wants to be ignored."

The machine that lies idle is far more liable to injury than the machine that runs.

Air and dampness do more damage than wear and tear. Let the machine remain inactive a while and the coating formed by the corrosion soon covers the bright metal and the parts become stiff and cranky.

A man neglects the working parts of his body. Normally these parts should be exercised. He indulges his members in idleness. Whatever vitality and working force they may have had when in continued use, neglect causes the machinery to run stiffly. It is the rust.

A man may neglect to exercise his working brain forces. He may have ever so quick a mind, but if he does not use his mental machinery the rust of idleness is soon over it.

A man may neglect to use the moral forces that are in him. There is a weakening somewhere. The machine lets down. And soon the parts are rusted.

When the primary or the convention or the ballot-box-working parts of government—are neglected the rust collects. The machinery works poorly. It may break down.

Keep your body working without friction by systematic exercise.

Keep your mind bright by using it.

Keep your soul clean by working it.

And so for society—nine-tenths of its evils are caused by the idleness of its necessary working parts.

NORTH BILLERICA

A gang of men will be put to work Monday morning macadamizing the roadway from the Talbot mills storehouse as far as the Faulkner Mfg Co.'s office. The amount appropriated by the town for the work is $1500. It is expected that the work can be done for less than the amount appropriated and in that event what is left will be spent for the macadamizing of Wilson street.

A meeting of the democratic town committee will be held in the engine room at Union hall next Thursday evening. The committee has not met nor organized since it was chosen at the caucus in Billerica Centre last fall. John R. Conway was chairman of the 1904 committee and as no presiding officer has been elected for this year, he has called a meeting to be held on the date mentioned above.

Chairman Charles H. Kolrausch of the board of selectmen has gone to his farm in Sutton, N. H., for a brief vacation. He is expected to return next Tuesday.

Many of the farmers from this part of the town attended the opening exercises of the Middlesex North fair at the fair grounds, Lowell, Thursday. Several of them have exhibits there and it is needless to say that they are all good ones.

PLEASANT PARTY.

Last Thursday evening a very pleasant surprise party was given to Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Lindholm at the London street church. A very pretty program was given, consisting of songs by the choir, and musical selections by the string band, also short speeches. During the evening they were presented an envelope containing a sum of money. Mr. Alfred Swenson made the presentation speech. At the close of the program refreshments were served.

Mr. Nik Deligren, Mr. Birgie Petterson and Mr. Alfred Swenson had charge of the affair.

That Beautiful Gloss

comes from the varnish in Devoe's Varnish Floor Paint; costs 5 cents more a quart though. Sold by The Adams Hardware and Paint Co.

A VIEL ROAST

Western Orator Didn't Quite Fit

AT MEETING OF MACHINISTS' UNION

Socialist - Labor Man Caused Excitement

Mr. Philip Viel and Mr. Farrell, the former from the woolly west and the latter a local product, both eminent exponents of socialism, are evidently members of the Ancient, Reckless and Independent order of the "Sons of Buttinsky" for they "butted in" to the meeting of the Machinists' union, last evening, and caused quite a commotion.

As soon as their identity and the purpose of their visit was discovered they were put out without ceremony.

The meeting of the Machinists was of unusual interest and drew out a large gathering by reason of the fact that A. H. Champion of Toronto, second vice president of the International association, and Thomas Wilson of Omaha, Neb., fourth vice president, now attending the convention at Boston, were the guests of the union and delivered addresses.

Mr. Champion was enthusiastically received and his address was most interesting. He was endeavoring to get at those present who were not members of the union and he asked non-members to arise and give a reason for the position they took.

Mr. Philip Viel, who is in Lowell in the interest of the socialist labor party, was on his feet in an instant and said he would tell why he was not a member.

He said he is a miner and he was proceeding to give reasons why he would not join the Machinists' union when several members objected on the ground that Viel was not qualified to speak.

Mr. Viel protested and the situation became exciting and finally Mr. Viel was put out of the hall without being permitted to speak.

When order was restored it was discovered that during the excitement Mr. Farrell, the local exponent of socialist labor doctrine, had scattered leaflets through the hall bearing on the miners' unionism and attacking John Mitchell, the labor leader.

Mr. Viel was not permitted to reenter the hall and he stated that he would reply to his opponents of the Machinists' meeting at an open air meeting.

LAWN PARTY

AT HOME OF LIEUT. JAMES BROSNAN LAST EVENING.

A highly enjoyable and financially successful lawn party and social was held at the residence of Mrs. James Brosnan, in High street, last evening, by the members of the Holy Rosary table of the coming Immaculate Conception bazaar.

There were about 600 present and dancing was enjoyed on a temporary pavilion to the music of McElroy's orchestra. The grounds were brilliantly lighted while prettily decorated booths and a fortune teller's camp were located about the grounds and did a thriving business.

Those who managed the affair were: General manager, Mrs. James Brosnan; assistants, Mrs. Hugh McOsker and Mrs. James Gookin; floor director, Mitchell Brosnan; assistant, Alfred J. Cooney; chief aid, Wm. M. Gookin; aids, Wm. P. Kelleher, Michael O'Keefe, Elias McQuade, Frank Sullivan, Thos. Cuff; chairman of reception committee, Frank E. Finnerty assistant, Miss Katherine Brosnan; matron of whist, Mrs. Robert Gallagher.

Ice cream table—Mrs. Cornelius F. Sullivan, matron; assistants, Mrs. Hubert McQuade, Misses Emma McOsker, Louise McOsker, Harriett Sullivan, Helen Halloran, Mamie McGilley, Marion Gallagher.

Lemonade and tonic table—Mrs. L. T. Wyman, matron; assistants, Mrs. Sarah Smith, Bridget Smith, Marguerite O'Meara, Josephine O'Mearn, Alice Hayes.

Candy table—Mrs. C. Desmond, matron; assistants, Mrs. P. Conlon, Miss K. Bresnan, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Misses Agnes Cavanaugh, Julia Tabor, Winnie Chaloux, Mary McLaughlin.

Cigar table—Mrs. Caroline, matron; assistants, Misses Sarah Hope, Kate Hope.

Cake table—Mrs. John Burns, matron; assistants, Mrs. A. Burns, Mrs. Hugh Downey.

NEARLY KILLED

FIRE CHIEF SENNOTT HURLED FROM WAGON.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Hurled fully 50 feet as the result of a swiftly moving electric car striking his wagon as he was rushing at breakneck speed in answer to an alarm of fire, District Chief Daniel Sennott barely escaped death at the corner of Bedford and Kingston streets last evening.

Terrorized by the accident, and with the reins dragging on the ground, the chief's horse made a mad dash up Bedford street, and was only prevented from plunging through a crowd of pedestrians by the heroism of Charles Ingersoll, the chief's driver, who performed a feat of horsemanship such as has seldom been equalled in this city.

The accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock, while Chief Sennott, who is the youngest of Boston's fire chiefs, was speeding to a supposed fire in the building at 25 Berkeley street.

THE POPE

GAVE $10,000 TO EARTHQUAKE SUFFERERS.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A despatch to the Chronicle from Rome says, the pope, not wishing to be ostentatious, did not make public the amount he subscribed for the relief of the earthquake sufferers.

This resulted in anti-clericals taunting his holiness with the declaration that he limited his aid to spiritual benedictions.

It is now officially announced that he gave $10,000, the largest donation made.

CHILD MURDER

Body of Infant Found at Scituate

SCITUATE, Sept. 16.—What may prove to be a case of child murder came to light yesterday afternoon when the fully developed body of a male infant was found on the sand about a mile south of the fourth cliff life-saving station on Humarock beach by Surf Patrolman Frank A. Carleton.

According to Carelton he had passed the same spot about ten minutes before, and he is positive the body was not there then.

The body is that of a boy. It was not clothed and had the appearance of having been in the water but a few hours. The body was not mutilated, although marks about its neck may indicate strangulation, and there were several slight abrasions of the skin, probably caused from rolling about in the surf.

The place where the body was found was between the most northerly summer residence on the beach and the life saving station. Nearly all the cottages are closed and but few people, except the life savers and gunners are at the beach at present. There are all kinds of conjectures as to where the body came from, but it seems highly improbable that it could have been cast into the sea from the beach at that point, and many are of the opinion that it was thrown overboard from some passing vessel. It has been suggested that the child might have been thrown from the Plymouth boat, which passes by within two miles of the beach just before noon each day.

LOWELL PEOPLE

STARTED ON TRIP TO WHITE MOUNTAINS.

About 50 Lowell people together with residents of cities and towns surrounding Lowell, left this morning on Mooney's excursion to the White Mountains. The Lowell party left the Middlesex street depot on special cars at 8.20 o'clock. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday will be spent at the mountains while the return trip will be made on Wednesday.

Among the Lowell people in the party were the following:

Mrs. Carrie F. Leighton, Miss Fannie E. Redman, Mrs. Mary M. Chase, Miss Alice E. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Miller, Mr. Isaac A. Fletcher, Mrs. Lena A. Whittier, Miss Isabella Cawley, Mrs. Aaron Brown, Mrs. E. A. Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Brigham, Mrs. E. G. Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Spofford, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Keefe, Miss Nellie Keyes, Mrs. C. F. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hutchinson, Mrs. D. Whithead, Mrs. C. C. Dursthoff, Mrs. H. B. Lang, Mrs. W. H. Howe, Mr. Ossian D. Tuttle, Mr. Edward Chalifoux, Mrs. A. P. Swanton, Miss M. Lizzie Upton, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sherman, Mrs. George Emery, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Persons, Mrs. Alice D. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. Laforest Beals, Miss Emma Deneal, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nelson, Miss Carroll.

A SUICIDE

MAN FOUND DEAD IN A PAWNSHOP.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Julius Levy, manager of a pawnshop at 807 Columbus avenue, was found dead in the cellar of the shop last night, a bullet hole through his head.

John G. Storey, of 144 West 101st street and William Zoller of 125 West Thirty-third street, clerks in the pawnshop, said that Levy left early Wednesday evening to go to his home at 2352 Seventh avenue. Yesterday morning when they went to open up they found the doors locked and barred. They waited around all day for Levy. Then they learned at his home that he hadn't been there.

Sergt. Craig of the West 100th street station sent two detectives to the shop to investigate when the clerks reported to him last night. They got a locksmith and opened the front door. Everything in the place seemed to be all right. The detectives saw a light in the cellar. They went there and found Levy's body. He had placed a small hand mirror on a shelf and shot himself through the right ear.

Levy lived with his sister Fanny and a brother-in-law. He managed the shop for Louis M. Levy of Camden, N. J., who was not related to him. His family couldn't give any reason for his killing himself.

A Dangerous Mistake

Lowell Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness in Children

Most children have weak kidneys.

The earliest warning is bed-wetting.

Later comes backache, headache, languor.

'Tis a mistake to neglect these troubles.
To blame the child for its own distress.
Seek to cure the kidneys—
Save the child from deadly kidney ills.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.
Lowell parents recommend them.

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ROYAL ARCANUM

Fate of Order May be Decided Tonight

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The fate of the Royal Arcanum in the eastern section of this country will probably be decided tonight at a special mass meeting of the joint committee from the subordinate councils of the order in greater New York, to be held in the Johnston building, Flatbush avenue and Fulton street, Brooklyn.

William H. McCabe, past regent of Park Slope council, will preside. This meeting is a result of the decision of the supreme council at the recent convention at Put-in-Bay, to have the new table of rates go into effect Oct. 1, in spite of protests from almost every council in the United States and Canada.

The main issue is, shall the 187,000 members of the Arcanum in New York state, more than one-half of the entire membership, join their brethren in Massachusetts in the movement to secede and establish a new organization.

In the new organization only members residing in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Illinois, Connecticut, Maryland, and the New England states will be eligible. These are the only bodies which have a balance to their credit in the widows' and orphans' fund.

It is expected that a large delegation from Boston, which started the secession movement, will attend the meeting.

It was said recently by one of the editors of a newspaper published exclusively for Arcanum news, that before Oct. 31 the new order will have a membership of 250,000.

Mrs. F. C. McVicker, chiropodist, 68 French street, has returned home from the Highgate Springs.

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TWIN SULLIVAN

Had Better of Bout With Gans

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.—Mike ("Twin") Sullivan, of Cambridge, Mass., gave his most ardent admirers a surprise last night before the Eureka A. C. by going 15 hurricane rounds to a draw with Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world.

Sullivan not only held his own with his dusky opponent, but was the aggressor throughout and had all the better of the contest the last five rounds. At several stages he had Gans in distress.

Referee O'Hara called it a draw, but many of the spectators disagreed with him. As the fight progressed Sullivan seemed more and more able to land as he pleased, and when the gong ended the 15th round Gans was hanging to his opponent, trying desperately to save himself from punishment.

Sullivan showed scarcely a mark, while Gans was badly battered up.

Sullivan's blows, however, lacked knockout steam, and his constant punches and jabs, while they wore Gans down, did not have sufficient force to send the champion to the floor.

For the first 10 rounds Gans had the advantage. In the first round after two minutes of boxing, Joe landed right and left on Sullivan's jaw, and "Twin" went down. Many thought that the contest was over and prepared to leave the building.

Sullivan, however, rose to his feet at the count of five, and managed to stand Gans off the balance of the round although Joe tried hard to land a knockout blow.

Sullivan was in great shape and his stamina came to his rescue. He came back strong in the second round and mixed up with Gans in great style. Gans, however, was far too clever for the Cambridge boy, and he again landed right and left to face. "Twin" took the punishment like a major and kept playing his left for the stomach.

In the fifth Gans again had Mike on "Queer street," but here again "Twin's" good condition came to his aid.

In the sixth Sullivan hooked a right over Gans' left eye and raised a "mouse," and in the seventh, after Gans had sent a right to Sullivan's jaw which dazed Mike, "Twin" again hooked a right over Gans' damaged eye and split it, starting the blood.

Gans had the better of the ninth and tenth rounds, but it could be seen that he was growing weaker, while Sullivan was keeping in pretty fair shape.

In the 11th Sullivan started rushing and succeeded in landing on Gans' face and stomach, but his blows lacked steam. Both were very tired toward the close of the round, and the sound of the bell was a welcome one to each.

Sullivan continued to force matters to the finish. At the end of the 12th round Gans was plainly distressed, but by clever blocking and footwork he managed to stall Mike off. Both were weak at the finish from the fast pace that they set.

BOXING GOSSIP

The members of the Business Men's gymnasium will hold another of their pleasing smoke talks at the gym in Middle street, tomorrow evening. A fine program will be offered and judging from the success of the two previous smoke talks a big representation of members will be present. Manager Flaherty has discovered a new Swedish wrestler whom he will introduce at the smoke talk.

Young Kenney states that as soon as he gets into condition he will show his friends that he has not gone back. He is training actively and faithfully at Joe Ryan's, and is fast pulling off beef. Willie Cornell would like to meet him again, and he will have no trouble getting good matches, once he gets in shape. Had Kenney remained with Ryan he would probably be meeting the top-notchers in his class now.

Jack Desmond, who made such a good showing before the Unity Club of Lawrence on Labor night, will be seen in the ring again this season. He has grown into the 118-class in which there are many clever ones. When he first started out he weighed only 105-108, and there were but few boxers of prominence in that class, and thus there was little for him to do. Now he can get all the matches he wants. With Freddie Maguire of this city it was just the reverse. While Freddie abandoned boxing on account of the position he held he would have found it different to get on good matches had he remained in the ring, for he still weighs 108 pounds, and no more, though he was a champion at that weight before Desmond ever put on a mitt. Maguire was one of the cleverest little men in the business and if he had only grown heavier he might have been a world-beater among the bantams or feather weights.

Local sports are now patiently waiting for the day when Jimmie Gardner goes up against Battling Nelson, for they are confident that the Lowell boy will yet be the possessor of the world's championship among the light weights. Gardner, like Desmond and other young boxers, who have started out when mere kids, has also put on weight, and many of the experts fear that he has acquired too big a frame to make the weight demanded by Nelson and remain strong. The boxer under his natural weight is as badly handicapped as he who goes into the ring over weight. Gardner, however, is confident that he can make 133 without difficulty, and he is equally confident that he can lick Nelson. Gardner, like Nelson, has the punch, and that's the thing these days. Britt had science to burn and rained blows on the Dane, but the latter was there at the finish when his more scientific opponent was led to the loser's corner. Gardner is certainly as clever as Nelson, maybe more so, and he has the punch. The conditions are quite even if the weight can be made right.

The majority of the sporting public and the management of the big fight club in Colma demands that Battling Nelson take on Jimmy Gardner as his next opponent, says "The Referee" in the Boston Traveler. The fighting Dane says he is agreeable, but he is first going to make some hay while the sun shines. For the next 10 or 15 weeks he will be engaged with his theatrical tour, which will net him $1500 per week.

Look over the field and you will find no one more worthy of a contest than Gardner. Gans is out of the question for more than one reason. In the first place Nelson will have nothing to do with Al Herford because of what he considered a "raw" deal when he fought Kid Sullivan in Baltimore. Secondly Gans could not make the weight. He has repeatedly stated that he will never again try to fight below 135 pounds. Thus it is that the title of lightweight champion must be defended by Nelson. He did not win it when he defeated Britt, but he is the most likely candidate to defend it, and when he battles with Gardner it will be for boss of that division.

There seems to be a great deal of doubt about the Lowell boy's ability to make the weight. In the West, where he has done most of his fighting during the past two years, critics do not believe that Jimmy can make 133 pounds and be fit to fight such a rough house affair as Nelson. Gardner, on the other hand, is sure that he can enter the ring strong at that weight. Shortly after his fight with Rufe Turner, which was at 135 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock on the evening of the mill, Gardner wrote to the Referee stating that he was positive that he could make 133 pounds at 6 o'clock for either Britt or Nelson, and that he would be at the ringside to challenge them. Jimmy stated in his letter that he weighed in at 134¼ pounds when he fought Turner. He did this without any systematic effort to reduce, so he feels confident of making the weight required by Nelson and incidentally that he will win from the Dane.

If there is one man living who can beat the Dane it is Gardner, provided of course that he is fit at the weight requirements. The Lowell boy has shown championship calibre by defeating Buddy Ryan for the white welterweight championship, knocking out Jack O'Keefe in 11 rounds and putting Willie Fitzgerald to sleep in five rounds. With the exception of Fitzgerald and Rufe Turner, who went down before Jimmy in 11 rounds, all of the men he has met in two years have had from ten to fifteen pounds of weight on him.

People close to the Lowell fighter have always maintained that he could make the lightweight limit and be strong, yet they have also put themselves on record with the statement that his best fighting weight is 135 pounds. Those two pounds make a big difference to Gardner, yet he is confident that he will feel no ill effect.

Jimmy Gardner has all the qualifications of a champion fighter. He has a punch that is a sleep producer. His record doesn't show a K. O. against the names of a lot of dubs, but those two letters are opposite the names of the best men that could be picked in the welterweight division. Britt is credited with being extremely clever, yet I doubt whether he commenced to have the speed and science of Gardner.

Gardner's defense is the most remarkable point. He can tin can with the best of them and when it comes to covering up and blocking he is one of the great artists in the game. With his arms crossed and working like a pair of scissors he covers every particle of his head and body. It is an impregnable defense. The Dane would get exhausted trying to place a blow on him. Stalling is usually a bad feature for a fighter to become proficient in because in nine out of ten cases he carries it to the extreme and rarely ever forces a fight. This is not so with the Lowell lad. It is only when it is coming too hard and fast that James covers up.

Buddy Ryan has always been noted for being a husky, rough-house fighter, yet he pinced but few hard blows on Jimmy. He tried keeping on top of the Lowell fighter, but was outfooted and in close he discovered that Gardner could either block all of the blows aimed at him or fight back with punches that carried terrific force.

While Nelson is credited with a knockout punch, yet it is not the dream producer that goes with the right or left mitt shot out by the Gardner lad. Nelson has never fought a man with a terrific punch save Aurelia Herrera. The Mexican put him to the mat and came within an ace of counting him out, but the great recuperating powers of the Dane served him well. With Gardner he would be getting a wallop every time he held his head up. That snappy left jolt, not the kind that Britt uses, but one that worms its way by the defence of a fighter and blinds him with its terrific force. Before his opponents recover from the harm accomplished by the left jab, Gardner sends over that lightning right cross to the jaw. It is as accurate as any human hand is in such affairs and when the hand encounters the jaw of an opponent he goes down.

Gardner has everything in his favor but the weight conditions, yet he insists that weight will not be a handicap. He can out-trick and out-punch the Dane. His defence is better, and he is faster, while the Dane hasn't a thing on him as an aggressive fighter. Nelson's only chance of winning would be to withstand the punching that has brought men weighing 10 to 15 pounds more than he down. He certainly hasn't one other thing in his favor if you sit down and compare the two men.

The prospect of a fight between this pair are excellent, although it will be some months off. Nelson will be busy showing himself off to the public for at least four months, and then another month of training would have to follow.

DUCK PINS

WANNALANCITS DEFEATED BY THE BROWNIES.

In the duck-pin tournament at the Bowlaway alleys last night the Brownies defeated the Wannalancits by the score of 1346 to 1256. Kelley and O'Brien of the winning team were tied for first honors.

The score:

BROWNIES.

Kelley	92	88	97	277
Moran	96	87	74	257
King	83	90	89	262
Dwyer	88	99	86	273
O'Brien	98	97	82	277
Totals	457	461	428	1346

WANNALANCITS.

Edwards	83	100	81	264
Hodgman	93	76	77	246
Fowler	85	74	73	232
Paradis	83	80	82	245
Edgell	100	91	78	269
Totals	444	421	391	1256

BASE BALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pc.
Philadelphia	78	48	.619
Chicago	73	52	.584
Cleveland	67	61	.523
New York	62	66	.508
Detroit	65	64	.504
Boston	62	62	.500
Washington	52	73	.416
St. Louis	45	85	.346

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—(First game) Philadelphia 4, Boston 3. (Second game) Boston 3, Philadelphia 2.

At New York—Washington 6, New York 2.

At Chicago—St. Louis 5, Chicago 3.

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

Boston at Philadelphia.
Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pc.
New York	92	37	.713
Pittsburg	90	48	.652
Chicago	76	57	.568
Philadelphia	71	59	.546
Cincinnati	65	67	.493
St. Louis	52	82	.388
Boston	43	89	.329
Brooklyn	39	90	.302

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Philadelphia 4, Boston 2.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 4, Chicago 3.
At Cincinnati—Pittsburg 8, Cincinnati 7.
At Lynn—New York (National) 2, Lynn (N. E.) 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

New York at Boston (two games).
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
Chicago at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Lowell police baseball team and the Cambridge team will contest for honors some afternoon next week at Mountain Rock grove. The date has not as yet been definitely fixed, but it will be held the latter part of the week. These teams met recently at Cambridge, and the Spindle City coppers put it onto their Cambridge brethren to the tune of 9 to 6, in a close and interesting game.

The Middlesex Village baseball team plays the Almonts of Tewksbury on the latter's grounds today. Game called at 3.30 p. m.

This afternoon at Spalding park at 3 o'clock the Ketchup baseball team of Dracut will cross bats with the Red Men of Lowell. It is expected that "Billy" Hickey will pitch for the Dracut boys, while "Gene" McCarthy, a former Collinsville lad, will twirl for the Indians.

The batting order will be Beaulieu 3b, D. Donovan 2b, McManmon cf, Kelley lf, Jordan ss, Donohoe rf, Murray 1b, J. Donovan c, McCarthy p.

ON THE CREASE.

The Mohairs first team is playing at Everett this afternoon.

The Zions are having a friendly contest with the Moore Spinning Mill team at North Chelmsford.

The Bunting Reserves have Maynard as their guests this afternoon.

SEVERAL KILLED

Factory Wrecked by an Explosion

AVON, Conn., Sept. 16.—The factory of the Climax Fuse company took fire yesterday and an explosion followed, wrecking a portion of the plant. It is reported that several employes were killed and others hurt.

The explosion was in a small stone building in which a number of men and girls were at work. The building was not demolished, the explosion spending itself through the windows. It is thought that six persons were killed so that number cannot be found. Five of the missing at 3.30 were:

James Joy, William Burke, Molly McCarthy, Julia Sullivan and Dick McCarthy. A call has been sent to Hartford for hospital aid.

The portion of the plant which last burned consisted of small wooden structures adjacent to the stone building in which the fuses were finished. The fire loss is not expected to be great. Most of the employes hurt were struck by fragments of glass from the windows or debris scattered by the explosion.

$200,000 STOCK

B. & N. Wants to Increase Its Capital

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The Boston & Northern and Old Colony Street Railway companies yesterday petitioned the railroad commissioners for authority to issue $200,000 additional capital stock for the payment of improvements, etc., and also to determine the price at which this stock shall be offered to stock holders. On April 8, these companies were authorized to issue $300,000 additional capital stock the same to be sold to stockholders at $100 per share. The present outstanding authorized capital of the Boston & Northern is $10,160,000 and that of the Old Colony $7,312,400.

INJUNCTIONS

HAVE STIRRED UP MR. McADOO.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Police Commissioner McAdoo commented bitterly yesterday on the action of the courts in granting injunctions in the cases of suspected poolrooms. His remarks were called forth by a question as to what he thought of the recent action of the Western Union Telegraph company in again deciding to abolish the collection of racing news. The commissioner said:

"I have today asked for a complete list of poolrooms in Greater New York where the police have been enjoined by the courts. The police are confident that many of these places, from which they are barred by injunction, are running as poolrooms, and it is most embarrassing to our efforts to be so strictly enjoined.

"I say this because I am constantly in receipt of appeals from people living in neighborhoods where they say poolrooms are being run. I have before me now a tearful letter from a father, who tells me that his son is being ruined by playing the races in a place where the police are enjoined from interfering. In this place, as in others, a fictitious business is conducted as a mask to the violation of law.

"It is a practise now where places secure injunctions for them to remain quiet for a while and let the injunction soak in. Lawyers then threaten me with peril and damages if I raise a finger. Then slowly, but surely, with patrons who are carefully identified and so well known as to be safe and steady customers, the place is launched on its career of crime."

Mr. McAdoo received the list of suspected places last night. It is a big one and covers nearly every section of the city. After looking the list over he says he will have it published.

25 YEARS WED

SILVER WEDDING OF MR. AND MRS. MATTHEW MURPHY.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Murphy of East Merrimack street were congratulated last evening by many friends on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. They were married Sept. 15, 1880, by the late Rev. Fr. James McGrath, O. M. I. Their home has been in Lowell since.

Letters were sent from here this week to Oakland, Cal., congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Bolton on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Bolton were former residents of Lowell and Mr. Bolton was an active member for years of Lowell council, K. C.

BOARD REMOVED

Mayor Roade Decapitates Health Officials

WOBURN, Sept. 16.—Dr. William H. Kelcher, chairman and George Buchanan and Dennis S. Doherty, his fellow members of the board of health, were removed from office yesterday afternoon by order of Mayor Roade. The official edict was served upon each member by Deputy Sheriff Joseph H. Buck, and a copy was filed with City Clerk John H. Flint at 3.25 o'clock.

The text of the order is as follows:

"It is ordered by the mayor, that William H. Kelcher, George Buchanan and Dennis S. Doherty, members of the board of health of the city of Woburn, severally be and hereby are removed from office for the following causes, in his official discretion deemed sufficient:

"First, because of a wanton disregard of public and private rights and contempt of constituted authority.

"Second, because of their curt and contemptuous treatment of the mayor, and obstructing him in the discharge of the duties of his office at a public hearing attended by him upon notice and request of the board of health.

"Third, for the good of the public service."

CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

The news of this summary and wholesale decapitation spread like wildfire and was the chief topic of conversation throughout the city. It finds its origin in a hearing held by the board of health Wednesday evening on a petition asking for relief from unhealthy conditions alleged to exist in the northwesterly shores of Horn pond.

At that meeting City Solicitor Norris accompanied by the mayor and at the latter's request, and as his representative, sought to propound sundry questions to witnesses for the petition, and to ascertain from the board information as to the statute under which they were acting.

The board refused to allow the city's law officer to ask any questions, and declined to answer those put to them as a board, claiming to have sole and unrestricted jurisdiction in the premises.

NEW CABLES.

WILL EXTEND TO CHINA AND JAPAN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Commercial Cable company, gave out yesterday this statement of the company's plans:

"Arrangements have been finally completed for the laying of submarine cables to China and Japan. It was the earnest wish of President McKinley, while the Pacific cable was in contemplation, that in addition we should lay cables to China and Japan. The difficulties at that time seemed insuperable, but we assured the president that we would do everything possible to comply with his wishes.

"Amongst our difficulties was a protest which Russia made against our laying a cable to Japan as being a breach of neutrality. President Roosevelt has given us his hearty support in order that American commerce might have quick service to China and Japan by an American cable.

"We also received the efficient aid of ex-Attorney General Knox and Attorney General Moody. Our landing rights in China were obtained several weeks ago and we have completed arrangements with the government of Japan for landing rights and connections in that country. Yesterday the agreement was signed by Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister.

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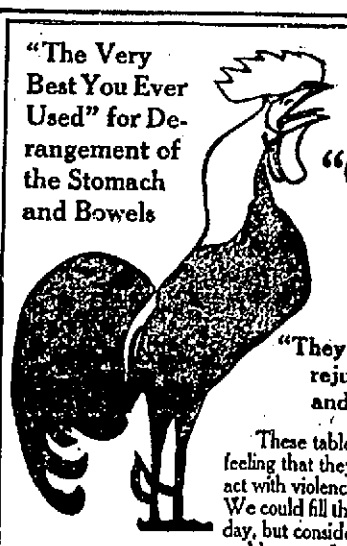

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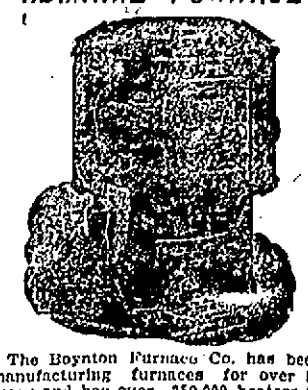

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9.35	10.18	1.02	1.37
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11.43	12.24	2.00	3.01
12.14	1.00	3.00	3.37
1.26	2.39	3.30	4.05
2.35	3.45	3.47	5.00
3.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
4.02	4.45	5.00	5.37
4.26	5.30	5.35	6.25
5.22	6.13	5.47	6.24
5.40	7.00	6.14	7.30
6.12	6.53	7.30	8.05
7.31	8.15	8.30	9.05
8.30	9.31	10.35	11.34
		11.20	12.21

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To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.33	10.50	11.49
10.50	12.00	11.40	1.05
12.05	1.22	2.15	3.15
12.47	1.52	3.35	4.50
2.25	3.22	4.40	5.50
3.10	4.20	6.00	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.45
5.05	6.40	8.40	10.33
6.15	7.10	*11.15	12.11
7.00	8.00		
8.30	10.26		

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WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.25	8.00	9.11
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.04
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8.45	9.42		

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9.00	10.19	1.00	1.31
2.25	3.27	6.00	7.18
5.10	6.00	7.30	8.00
6.15	6.55	8.30	9.05
7.31	8.15	9.00	10.02
		10.15	11.10

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FINE RACING

A Great Crowd Witnessed Events at the Fair

The horses at the fair yesterday afternoon proved to be the feature of the day. A number of fine horses were entered and both races which were pulled off, the 2.30 trot or pace and 2.18 trot or pace were well contested. The 2.18 class was won by Nettie Bell, a Dover horse, in straight heats, but after four heats had been run off in the 2.30 class the race was still unfinished and will be finished today.

Unnoticed won two straight heats and ran what looked like a dead heat with Victor in the third heat, but the heat was given to Victor. The race in the fourth heat was pretty and Mutineer, who had been very restless during the other heats, finishing eighth, fifth and third, with a new driver behind him, crossed under the wire first.

Despite the fact that the races were scheduled for two o'clock it was nearer three o'clock when they began.

There were six starters in the 2.18 class, trot or pace, Baby Con and Owen J. Carney's Peacherina having been drawn. The only Lowell horse entered was T. N. Burnham's Grlado.

There was considerable scoring in the first heat, and on one occasion while getting a start Nettie Bell got restless and dumped her driver out of the sulky, but he escaped injury.

When they did finally get off Paddy, the Irish Boy, took the lead away from the pole horse, Botany, and was leading at the half, closely followed by Nettie Bell, Diamond bringing up the rear.

The race down the home stretch was a pretty one between Paddy, the Irish Boy, and Nettie Bell, but the latter won by inches. The rest of the field was far behind, Diamond and Grlado coming in just before the flag was dropped.

In the second heat, while scoring, Botany's sulky got smashed and there was a delay of 15 minutes while a change was made. When they got started Paddy, the Irish Boy, was leading and kept it up for nearly a half when Nettie Bell passed him and finished first.

The third and deciding heat of the race was a walk away for Nettie Bell, the Dover horse winning with ease. Paddy, the Irish boy, was a poor second.

There were eight starters in the first heat of the 2.30 class. After scoring several times the horses got bunched and were given the signal to go.

Victor took the lead and was closely pressed by R. 33, but at the half Unnoticed came up and traveling at a walk-out gait finished first. B. W. Johnson's R. 33 was beaten out at the wire by Albert for second place.

The time for the heat was 2.32 flat.

The second was a regular sleigh-ride with the exception of Diamond and Victor. Diamond had the pole from the start and while Victor made several ineffectual attempts to take the lead Diamond's driver fought him off and finished first.

The third heat was the best of the race, the spectators being furnished with an exciting finish between Unnoticed and Victor. Unnoticed took the way, but Victor pushed him hard. Coming down the stretch the horses were neck and neck and came under the wire with but a hair separating them. After considerable discussion among the judges, Victor was given the heat. R. 33 finished fifth but was given eighth owing to interference.

The fourth heat found a dark horse the winner. Victor had the pole and kept it for a half, when Unnoticed went to the fore closely followed by Mutineer. These three horses came down the stretch neck and neck, and though Unnoticed was picked for the winner of the heat, he went bad, and Mutineer won the heat with Victor a close second.

It was so near sundown that the judges announced that the race would be finished this afternoon at one o'clock.

The summary:

2.30 class; trot or pace; purse $300; unfinished.

Unnoticed, bg, A. J. Wills, Lawrence	1	1	2	3
Victor, bg, R. Crosby, Dorchester	4	2	1	2
Mutineer, blk g, C. C. Blaney, Boston	8	5	3	1
Albert, bg, Eddie House, Haverhill	2	8	7	8
R. 33, chg, B. W. Johnson, Lowell	3	3	8	6
Charley King, blk g, A. T. Wheelock, Dorchester	5	4	4	4
Bird Seed, flg, M. R. Walsh, Woburn	6	6	5	5
J. C. L., blk g, Larock, Woburn	7	8	6	7

Time—2.32, 2.32½, 2.33, 2.32½.

2.19 class; trot or pace; purse $300.

Nettie Bell, bm, Granite State park	1	1	1
Paddy, the Irish Boy, F. Isabel, Boston	2	2	2
Botany, bs, Larock, Woburn	3	3	3
Ornament, ch g, C. H. Morse, Ashmont	4	4	5
Diamond, bg, D. O. Leary, Lawrence	5	5	4
Grlado, bg, T. N. Burnham, Lowell	6	6	6
Peacherina, blk m, O. J. Carney, Lowell	dr		

Time—2.23¼, 2.25¼, 2.25.

E. S. Wason of Nashua gave excellent satisfaction as starter.

Frank E. Putnam, Fred Kingsbury and Alva S. Baker were the efficient timers and judges.

TYPHOID FEVER

Doctors Say Epidemic is Threatened

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Vacations spent in small farm houses poorly ventilated, with bad drainage and contaminated water supplies are declared by several leading physicians of this city to threaten an epidemic of typhoid fever during the autumn. The doctors declare that stringent measures will be necessary to prevent a great amount of sickness from these causes among persons who spent their vacation days in the country, supposedly enjoying a change of air and fresher food than they get in the city.

"In the matter of typhoid," said one of the city's best known practitioners last night, "it is agreed that sanitary administration has not kept pace with scientific progress. One reason for this is that the laws are defective. The health authorities have not the necessary power to enforce regulations and the people as a rule are not educated up to the point of obeying sanitary statutes." It is hard to prove directly that the disease has come from any particular district, yet every physician will testify that in certain districts where typhoid prevails its exercise is ignored by interested parties.

"Any physician will tell you that contaminated water is the chief cause of the disease and that in country districts the sunken well and the old-fashioned cesspool generally in close proximity to the living quarters produce that cause.

"Farmers, even if they were disposed, do not understand the requirements of a large number of persons, because they are accustomed to taking care of only a few. All such places that take boarders should be required to have a license approved by the health authorities, showing that the place is sanitary and free from fever, as it is possible for any place to be."

DEATHS

REAULT—Marie Reault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reault, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 129 Summer street.

ALLARIE—Narcisse Emery Allarie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allarie, died yesterday at the residence of his parents, 225 Cheever street, aged 1 year.

MAHONEY—Nora F. Mahoney, aged 49 years, died yesterday at her home, 462 Chelmsford street. Besides her husband, John F. Mahoney, she leaves five daughters and one son.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home.

ROGERS—Ellen Rogers, aged 57 years, died yesterday at the city hospital. Her remains were removed to the warerooms of Peter H. Savage.

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NINE ARE DEAD

Killed by the Explosion at Avon

AVON, Conn., Sept. 16.—Nine persons are dead as a result of the explosion and fire which destroyed the plant of the Climax Fuse company yesterday afternoon. Nine others have severe burns and it was feared this morning that at least two of these might not recover. The ruins of the stone building where the explosion occurred were still so hot today as to make a search difficult and dangerous, but the workers succeeded in getting out one body early in the day. It was charred, however, beyond recognition. Six other bodies remained in the ruins. During the night two of the injured, Charles Dimock and Miss Nora Ryan, both of whom were seriously burned, died at their homes.

The complete list of dead and those most seriously injured was reported today as follows:

The dead:

WILLIAM BURKE, aged 40, married.
JAMES JOYCE, 25, married.
ROBERT McCARTHY, 18.
JAMES WALLACE, 30.
CHARLES DIMOCK, 18.
MISS MOLLIE McCARTHY, 16.
MISS JULIA SULLIVAN, 18.
MRS. M. B. TUCKER, 40.
MISS NORA RYAN, 18.

The injured:

Michael Canfield, arms badly burned and internal injuries feared.

Michael McCarthy, body severely burned.

Lyman Hull, painful body burns.

Mrs. William Burke, wife of one of the missing, burned very severely and may die.

Charle Legeyt, very seriously burned recovery doubtful.

Miss Nellie Canfield, arms and back burned.

Mrs. Norton Fish, severely bruised.

Arthur Tuller, burned about the legs.

Earl Tuller, arms badly burned.

Hundredsof people, many of whom had lost a relative or friend by the accident, crowded about the ruins today, watching the slow progress of the search work. It was considered unlikely, however, that it would be possible to identify any of the bodies as the heat was sufficient apparently to incinerate them.

The explosion is generaly believed to have been due to contact of a hot iron with the fuse which was being manufactured. At one point in the process of manufacture the fuse is drawn through a hole in a frame attached to a reel. Such holes sometimes become clogged by the tar, used for purposes of safety, the fuse is coated and when this happens, it has been customary to clear the hole by means of a hot iron. It is believed that James Joyce was attempting to clear one of these holes yesterday and that probably a break in the tar covering over the fuse led to the explosion. There was a flash of flames and inflammable material near by took fire, filling the room instantly with smoke. Most of the victims are believed to have become confused in the panic which followed and to have died of suffocation, unable to make their escape.

Dr. Kellogg, of Hartford, has a summer home almost directly across the street from the fuse factory and was on the lawn of his residence when the explosion occurred. He saw the shower of debris from the explosion and the scramble of the men and women to escape from the building.

"I never saw a more awful sight than this," he said afterward. "The explosion was not heavy and seemed to me like a smothered blast but as I looked toward the factory sheets of fire seemed to sweep through the building and the smoke arose in clouds. Then there was a mad rush of men and women, nearly all with hands uplifted and shrieking horribly. Some jumped from the windows and some were trampled under foot. As soon as possible, I attended to the injuries of ten or a dozen, applying soothing ointments, and by that time other physicians reached the scene. The burns of some were terrible, the skin hanging in strips."

W. H. Hadsell, a brother of F. H. Hadsell, superintendent of the factory, had a narrow escape. He was in the shipping room near the elevator shaft on the floor above that where the explosion occurred. Blinded by the flames and smoke which shot up the elevator shaft, he lost his way stumbling among heaps of boxes and was nearly suffocated. He seemed just about to drop to the floor when he saw the dim outline of a window and managed to reach it and jump outside to safety.

The property loss by the fire was estimated at from $100,000 to $150,000. Four buildings were destroyed, the fire spreading rapidly on account of the failure of the automatic sprinkler system to work and the inability of the small town fire apparatus to cope with a blaze of such magnitude with one engine and hose cart.

MOURNING SIGNS

Boston Grieves at the Death of Late Mayor

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The funeral car bearing the body of Mayor A. Patrick Collins and attached to the Federal express arrived at the South Terminal station in this city at 7.18 a. m. today, over the Providence division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. The train was exactly on time. A small gathering of citizens had assembled, and all removed their hats and reverently bowed their heads as the body of their honored mayor was taken from the car and placed in a hearse.

The hearse was driven slowly to an undertaking establishment in South Boston, a short distance from the station. It was planned to take the body from there at about noon to the home of the late mayor on Corey road in the Brighton district. The work of draping the city hall in mourning garb was completed during last night and today flags at half staff were seen everywhere throughout the city.

The list of honorary pall-bearers who will take part in the funeral of Mayor Collins was given out today. It includes the names of Gov. Wm. L. Douglas, Richard Olney, former secretary of state; Senator W. Murray Crane, Wm. H. K. Redmond, Irish member of parliament; Acting Mayor Daniel Whelton and former Mayors Samuel A. Green, Thos. N. Hart, Nathan Matthews, Edwin U. Curtis, Josiah Quincy. Among the others are Mayor Augustine Daley of Cambridge, James Donovan, superintendent of streets; Colonel Wm. A. Gaston, General Charles H. Taylor, Major Henry L. Higginson, Wm. T. Fitzgerald, president of the democratic city committee; Chas. E. Stratton, former Congressman John R. Thayer, Thomas Gargan, Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, John M. Grannan, Lieut. John A. Tobin, U. S. N. (retired) E. B. Bartlett, Jerome Jones, A. Shuman, P. F. Griffin, John F. Noonan and M. P. Curran, secretary to Mayor Collins, and Arthur W. Dolan, president of the common council.

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THURSDAY

The Farm and Personal Property

at the Elmdale Farm, known as the Roundie or Hill place, Grove street, Reading, Massachusetts, is to be closed out without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever to the highest bona fide bidders at absolute auction sale, on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1905, beginning promptly at 1 o'clock in the afternoon regardless of any condition of the weather. The sale to take place upon the premises, which are within one mile of Reading square, 3 miles of Wilmington, four miles of Woburn. The Boston & Northern Street Railway (Reading and Lowell line), at the corner of Grove and Lowell streets, is within three or four minutes' walk. There are

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Last month, Mr. Keyes sold my farm for me and as I must vacate the same I have pledged all my personal property used in connection with the farm in the hands of the auctioneer to be disposed of on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1905, regardless of the weather.
The property consists of: 1 Bay Horse, weighs about 1250 lbs., a very good all-round horse; 1 Bay Mare, weighs about 1300 lbs., a good worker and a very fair driver; 1 Gray Horse, weighs about 1100 lbs., a good all-round horse; 1 Gray Horse, weighs about 1400 lbs.; 8 very nice Cows, description of them will be given at time of sale. About 25 tons of hay, most all of it an excellent quality of English Hay; 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Three-Spring Wagon, 1 Open In-Spring Buggy, 2 Sets Double Harness, 1 Carryall, 1 Democrat Wagon, 1 Two-Horse Sled, 1 Sleigh, 1 Parlor Stove, also the farming tools, Plows, Rakes, Harrows, Mowing Machine, Forks, Chains, etc.
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By order of C. C. THOMPSON.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 3 o'clock
ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE O'HARE ESTATE AT THE CORNER OF PROSPECT STREET AND BUTLER AVENUE. SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 2650 SQ. FEET OF LAND.
By virtue of a license issued to me as administrator of the Mary O'Hare Estate, and in order to make a partition of the same, I shall sell on the premises on the day advertised, regardless of the weather, to whomsoever shall bid the most, this excellent corner property. The house consists of seven rooms, four on the first floor and three chambers on the second. With a small amount expended on this cottage it would make a very cosy little home. The lot is a very desirable one, as it has a frontage of 82 feet on Prospect street and about 38 feet on Butler avenue. When the grade of the street was changed on Prospect street the city built a well-appointed stone wall and laid a concrete sidewalk the full length of the frontage of this property. There are 10 nice fruit trees, bearing peaches, pears and apples. The lot is all fenced in and there is plenty of vacant land to be improved upon. The fact of this being a corner lot certainly is a great advantage to this parcel. It is an excellent location for renting purposes; it is within 100 yards of Central street and within five minutes' walk of many large industries and the speculator would do well to look this corner over.
TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.
JOHN W. McEVOY, Attorney. FRANK O'HARE, Administrator.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 3.30 o'clock
ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF THE PATRICK HORNE ESTATE AT 58 KINSMAN AND 40 LYON STREETS. A TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 2586 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.
By virtue of a license issued to me by the court and for the purposes of making a settlement of the estate, I shall offer the same at public auction on the premises regardless of the weather on Saturday, September 23, at 3.30 o'clock. The house consists of two tenements, one of five rooms and the other seven rooms. It is well constructed and very conveniently laid out, and is in very good repair inside and out. It has large bay windows in front on the first and second stories; a front door entrance on Kinsman street and a side door entrance on Lyon street. A two-tenement house of this kind should interest the man of moderate means. The lot has a frontage of 40 feet on Lyon street and about 58 feet on Kinsman street. It is all fenced in and concreted all around the house. There are three apple trees and a very nice yard all sodded. There is ample room for the purchaser to build on the Kinsman street side if he so desires. The fact of this being a corner lot with so much frontage on both streets makes this parcel very desirable. The location is one of the very best for renting; there are a number of large industries within a very few minutes' walk of this property. This must be an absolute sale and undoubtedly someone will get a good bargain.
Terms: $250 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off. JOHN W. McEVOY, Administrator.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 4 o'clock
AN ABSOLUTE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF FOUR DWELLING HOUSES, CONSISTING OF TWO TWO-TENEMENT HOUSES, A BLOCK OF THREE FLATS, A 7-ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 5328 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 81 AND 85 WEST THIRD STREET, ALL TO BE SOLD IN ONE PARCEL.
The above property has been placed in my hands to be disposed of on the premises, regardless of the weather, without limit or reserve, to the highest bidder. The present owner is in no condition to care for this property as it should be. It certainly will be a grand investment for someone who can give it the care and attention that such property as this requires. Number 85, a block of three flats, has been built but a few years and is in excellent repair inside and out; each tenement has five rooms, water closet and pantry and rents for $10.00 each, making a total of $360 a year for this house. Number 81 is a two-tenement house, seven rooms with one tenement and five with the other, and is occupied at present by two very good tenants and rents for about $225 a year. Numbers 1 and 3 is a two-tenement house in the rear; six rooms with one tenement and five with the other, and rents for about $220 a year; Number 4, in the rear, is a cottage house which is idle at the present time, but with a small amount expended would rent as readily as the others; it always has rented for $96 a year. The above properties when properly handled should rent for $1000 a year. This is a proposition for some speculator who could give it a little care and attention and who would be well paid for his trouble.
From 50 to 70 per cent. may remain on mortgage if the purchaser so desires. For further information on this property call on the auctioneer, C. F. Keyes, 52 Central Street, Lowell, Mass.

THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy to cloudy, probably without rain tonight and Sunday. There will be light easterly to southerly winds.

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WATER EXTENSION

Petition Has Been Filed With the Water Board

It is expected that some action relative to the extension of Lowell's water service to Atherton will be taken at a meeting of the water board to be held on Monday next. Mr. Edward Cawley the owner of the plant occupied by the Arlington mills, is anxious to have the water supply extended this fall and this afternoon he filed the following petition at the office of the water board at city hall:

To the Water Board, City of Lowell:

Gentlemen—The undersigned, Edward Cawley, of Lowell, respectfully represents that upon May 18, 1905, an act of the Legislature of this Commonwealth was duly approved, authorizing the City of Lowell to supply and distribute water through certain portions of the Town of Tewksbury as appears by Chap. 416 of the Acts of 1905.

That upon July 19, 1905, a joint order of the City Council of Lowell was duly approved by the Mayor, directing your honorable board to furnish water to that portion of the Town of Tewksbury known as the Arlington Mills property, on condition that pipes from the city line to said property be laid at the expense in whole or in part of the owner of the property.

That the said Edward Cawley is the owner of the Arlington Mills property aforesaid in Tewksbury, and that he now is and has been since said July 19, 1905, ready and willing to pay the entire expense of furnishing and laying the necessary pipe from the point where the water system of Lowell now ends in Rogers street, at the corner of Butnam road, at the city line, through Rogers street to Phoenix street so-called, and through Phoenix street to the said Arlington mills property.

That some five or six weeks since he appeared before your honorable board for the purpose of making known his said proposition as aforesaid with the view of thereby expediting the extension of the said water supply to the Arlington mills property as aforesaid authorized and directed by the Legislature and by the City Council of said Lowell.

That the said Arlington mills property is now occupied and in active operation and hereby giving employment to a large number of the inhabitants of Lowell as well as to some who are inhabitants of the Town of Tewksbury, and that it will greatly facilitate the operation of said manufacturing property and thereby benefit many of the inhabitants of Lowell and the City of Lowell as a whole, if the said occupants of the Arlington mills property should be speedily furnished with water from the water system of Lowell as has been duly authorized as aforesaid.

That the season of the year is already far advanced and that work in the way of extending said system should be begun at once and prosecuted to completion, if at all, before the winter months.

Wherefore your petitioner respectfully prays that your Board will take action in the matter at once upon his said proposition, and that if any doubt exists in the mind of any of your members as to the expediency of extending the water system of Lowell as aforesaid, notwithstanding the Act of the Legislature and the joint order of the City Council, then that you will give a public hearing at as early a date as possible, the same to be duly advertised to the public, so that the sentiment of the people of Lowell and the people of Tewksbury concerning this matter may be made known unto you.

Respectfully,
EDWARD CAWLEY.

32 PERSONS KILLED

THE HAGUE, SEPT. 16.—AN OFFICIAL DISPATCH REPORTS A SUCCESSFUL RAID MADE BY THE PRETENDER, SONNEBIT, OF THE TIMOR ARCHIPELAGO, WHO RECENTLY INVADED DUTCH TERRITORY, KILLED 32 PERSONS AND CARRIED OFF 62 CAPTIVES.

SPECIAL MEETING

Aldermen to Act on Street Lighting

The committee on lighting will meet at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon and the aldermen will meet at five o'clock at which time further action on the street lighting question will be taken. It is expected that the meeting will be a lively one. One alderman is alleged to have made the statement that he would have something to say about an editorial that appeared in a morning paper. The alderman in question is considerably worked up over the matter and it is understood that he has been working on a very long and a very strong speech in which the writer of the editorial comes in for a generous share of criticism and some hard knocks.

AN ENUMERATOR

Will Arrange to Retake Census

Chief Pidgin of the bureau of statistics and labor has notified Mayor Casey that he would send a representative to Lowell in the early part of next week to make arrangements for the retaking of the census in districts that are alleged to have been neglected by the enumerators.

LIVELY BLAZE

STARTED BY BOYS IN TENEMENT IN CENTRALVILLE.

An alarm from box 46, at 1.52 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze in a block owned by James H. McDermott in an alleyway off Lakeview avenue. The block has been unoccupied for some time and some boys in the vicinity securing some excelsior, placed it in the hallway and after setting it afire, ran away.

When the department arrived there was a lively blaze in progress, but it was soon extinguished.

VIOLENTLY INSANE.

Nellie Faye of Jefferson street was taken violently insane this afternoon and removed to the police station.

AFTER HER SON

Woman Searches Here For Him

Mrs. Robkoff of Boston was in this city this afternoon looking for her son Louis, who has been missing for two years. The woman said that two years ago Louis left his home in Kieff, Russia, and since that time she has not seen him. His widowed mother came to this country 18 months ago in the hope that she would get some trace of her only son. He was an athlete and took to games, and she believes that he is playing baseball with some of the minor teams of this section, for from information she received before leaving home she is satisfied that her son came either to Boston or Lowell after arriving in this country.

Mrs. Robkoff, a few days ago, found in her house a copy of a Boston paper which contained a group picture of a semi-professional baseball team of this city and one of the players bears a striking resemblance to her son.

She came to this city yesterday and upon inquiring from friends learned that the baseball team whose picture she had seen was to play at Spalding park this afternoon. The poor woman accompanied by a talented young woman of this city who speaks the Russian language, went to the ball grounds, but she failed to recognize her son among the players. She will remain here for a few days in the hope that she may get some clue to his whereabouts.

PRICE OF OIL ADVANCED.

PITTSBURG, Penn., Sept. 16.—The Standard Oil Company today again advanced the price of all grades of crude oil except Raglan. The highest grades were raised three cents and the lower grades two cents. This is the second advance since Tuesday.

Ayer's
Sarsaparilla. Used in all parts of the world for over 60 years. Has the unqualified endorsement of the best physicians. A family medicine. A strong nerve tonic. A great blood purifier.
J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

GENERAL GUILD

Principal Speaker at the Farmers' Dinner

The third day of the fair under the auspices of the Middlesex North Agricultural Association did not bring out the attendance which was expected. There is no doubt in the minds of the public or the management but that the attendance would have been a record breaker today but for the threatening weather during the early hours of the morning, and the light drizzling rain later on in the day. The management of the fair looked forward with fond anticipations for fair weather today, for this was to be the red-letter day of the fair.

The principal feature of the day was the farmers' dinner, which always attracts a good number who like to enjoy one of those old-fashioned farmers' dinners and also listen to good speaking. The dinner was served at noon. Then again the horse races, together with the unfinished 2.30 class were scheduled to be run off. There was also on the list a double balloon ascension and parachute jump, together with a fine vaudeville show. This program would undoubtedly have attracted thousands of people to the grounds, but the weather clerk did not follow out the program ordered by the officials, and the rain tendered to mar the success of the day to a considerable extent.

The gates at the grounds were thrown open at eight o'clock this morning and a half hour later the entries for family matched horses and roadsters and travellers was closed. The trial of these horses was called at eleven o'clock on the track.

Prizes were awarded to stallions for driving purposes, family horses, family matched horses, roadsters and travellers, no horse having a track record being allowed to compete.

THE FARMERS' DINNER.

The farmers' dinner was held on the upper floor of the horticultural hall and was largely attended.

During the dinner the Union Municipal band dispensed pleasing selections.

The guests of honor occupied seats on the platform and at the conclusion of the dinner President Arthur H. Cluer called to order and opened the post prandial exercises.

Mr. Cluer stated that he was more than pleased with the displays by the different granges and also those who assisted in making the fair a success.

Mr. Cluer then introduced Hon. George A. Marden as toastmaster. Mr. Marden said that it was in 1867 the first time he attended the Middlesex North Agricultural association's fair. He then made some humorous remarks after which he introduced Lieutenant Governor Curtis Guild.

When the lieutenant governor stepped to the front of the stage he was cheered in a most enthusiastic manner.

The Lieutenant-Governor said:

Though Massachusetts makes no boast of the value of her agriculture, it is pleasant to remember that it is no unimportant industry.

Neither Worcester nor Middlesex county is a vast extent of territory, yet at the last taking of the census the total value of the farm products not fed to live stock of Middlesex county, Massachusetts, was $6,376,125, of Worcester county $6,083,578.

These two Massachusetts counties rank respectively thirteen and fifteen among all the counties or sub-divisions of all the states and territories.

If Middlesex county stands as it does, close to the head of all the counties of the United States in the value of its agricultural products, it is because the celery, the lettuce, the green corn, the fruit and all the rest find so ready a sale in the great industrial centres with which this county is studded. Diversity of industries is the surest path to permanent well-being.

Among the nations of the world the United States occupies a high position, the highest position, as a source of agricultural products, but we no longer enjoy, as we did a dozen years ago, a practical monopoly of certain of those products in neutral markets.

Other nations besides ourselves are raising wheat. Uruguay and the Argentine Confederation, which twenty years ago were importing flour, are competing with us in South America. Even in 1901 the wheat crop of Argentina was 75,000,000 bushels. Hungary, Roumania, Bulgaria, show an increase of millions of bushels, and Russia, the ancient Scythia—the granary of the world two thousand years ago when Ovid was in exile—Russia is again meeting our competition in Europe with a steady increase in her wheat crop. Russia has become second only to the United States as a wheat producer, and when the new Trans-Siberian railroad opens up millions of acres more of the undeveloped wheat lands her competition is likely to be more severe even that it is at present.

Russia, too, in her new possessions in Turkestan, has began to produce cotton in ever-increasing quantities. American cotton is still king, but the cotton of Peru and Egypt no longer permits an undivided sway, but is imported by the millions of pounds at the port of Boston itself.

The dairy products of Canada, the vegetables of the West Indies, meet us not only in foreign markets, but in our own. Our native Indian corn, transplanted to the pampas of South America, is fighting us in the world's markets, and our own soldiers in the Philippines have been fed on Australian beef.

A nation to be prosperous must diversify its industries.

New England, with no unusual advantages of soil, and little mineral wealth, has been made to flourish like the green bay tree by the energy and inventive genius of her citizens, and agriculture has flourished because manufactures have flourished also, each mutually assisting the other. Cuba, abundantly blessed with mineral wealth and with the most fertile soil in the world, has seen a people starve in the midst of plenty, partly from official corruption, but partly from the deliberate throttling of every industry, except the cultivation of sugar and tobacco. The Cuban Revolution, like our own, was not merely for political but for industrial independence.

Loud applause followed his speech.

Toastmaster Marden then introduced Hon. Solon W. Stevens, stating that recently he had hied himself to the country and might be called "the man with the hoe."

Mr. Stevens said he is now enjoying the pleasure of living in a rural community. "I do not know anything of farming, being hardly able to tell the difference between a cucumber and a squash," said the speaker. He said it took brains to be a skillful farmer. Continuing, he said: "If farms in New England are being abandoned some people are coming in and tilling them. Some one buys the abandoned farm and makes it productive. The farms in New England at the present time are as productive as they ever were. Some of the farms are being developed by foreigners but it is our duty to welcome the foreigner to this country and make an American citizen out of him. Whether he be French, Syrian or Russian, he must know that this is the country of freedom, the country where he may get a home and a career. I believe that the ideal democracy will be established in this country in a very short time. We must welcome all nationalities that adopt this country as their country, and call them brothers."

BEAMS REMOVED

Workmen Busy on the Huntington Hall Ruins

The work of razing the ruins of Huntington hall to the ground is progressing rapidly under the supervision of the Boston & Maine railroad. The heavy stringer beams which have been suspended in the air since the fire occurred and which many people expected to fall through to the ground at any moment were displaced yesterday and the work of removing the bricks was commenced.

All that now remains of the ruins are the outer walls and it will not be long before they are levelled to the ground.

ANN HOLDEN

KNOCKED DOWN BY A HORSE AND INJURED.

Ann Holden, a woman of about 65 years of age, and residing at 26 Cady street, while crossing back Central street about three o'clock this afternoon, was struck and knocked down by a horse.

She was picked up in a semi-conscious condition and taken to 437 Central street and the ambulance summoned. She was then taken to St. John's hospital where upon examination it was found that she was badly bruised about the body and hands and had a cut over her left eye.

BADLY BURNED

BOY SUFFERED WOUNDS ABOUT THIGH AND KNEE.

Louis Albert Langley, aged 11 years, and residing at 105 Rock street, while fooling in the yard of the Massachusetts Mohair Plush mill today, came in contact with a carboy of vitriol and was badly burned about the right leg. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where upon examination it was found that he was suffering from burns about the thigh and knee.

OUTING POSTPONED.

The outing under the auspices of the Spanish War Veterans which was to have been held at the cricket grounds in Dracut this afternoon has been postponed owing to the inclemency of the weather.

Evening Classes
LOWELL TEXTILE SCHOOL
First Entrance Examination
Thursday, Sept. 21st
AT 7 P. M.
AT THE SCHOOL
CHARLES H. EAMES, Secretary.

COURT SHOCKED

At Language Used by a Small boy

Judge Hadley was completely jarred this morning when Leslie Lohnes of 17 Wilder street, a neat appearing boy not over 14 years of age, calmly admitted having used toward George Jackson, the vilest epithets ever heard in police court.

When the defendant Jackson, who was charged with assault on young Lohnes and two other young men, testified to the language used by Lohnes the court was loathe to believe that a boy of his years could be familiar with such expressions and sharply cross-questioned the witnesses, who stuck to their original testimony.

Then the boy was recalled and asked if he had used such language and he promptly gave an affirmative answer.

The court immediately discharged the defendant with the remark: "That boy should have his mouth shut with something stronger than a rotten potato," the complaint alleging that Jackson had struck him with a rotten potato.

The alleged assault took place at the public bath house in Pawtucket street about a week ago. The defendant, George Jackson, lives next door to the bath house and it would appear is not on friendly terms with the proprietor, Mr. Jean. Young Lohnes while in swimming at the bath house got on the wharf of Mr. Jackson nearby and Jackson ordered him off. Lohnes went away from the wharf but upon getting back to the bath house turned around and called Jackson the vile names referred to. Jackson upon hearing the language picked up a rotten potato and threw it at young Lohnes, striking him on the shoulder. Lohnes went into the bath house crying and told Jean about it.

Jackson pleaded not guilty and was defended by Col. Carmichael who brought the admission from the Lohnes boy's mother that she would not have known about the incident had it not been that Jean called on her and advised her to have Jackson brought to court for assault, offering, she said, to stand any expense incurred by the case.

Judge Hadley was genuinely astonished at the developments in the case for with all his experience with men and women of crime he had never before heard of so young a person being familiar with and using such vile language.

Daniel McCauley had been pinched three times within a month, and hence it was a 100 to 1 shot that Daniel would go into retirement for the next few months. It was the state farm for Daniel.

TYPOS' STRIKE

HUMPHREY O'SULLIVAN PROMISES FINANCIAL SUPPORT.

Considerable interest was manifested in a report to the effect that Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, who is a journeyman printer, had pledged his support to the job and book compositors who are out on strike. Mr. O'Sullivan upon being asked today, if there was foundation in fact to the report, referred the reporter to President Spead of the Lowell Typographical union No. 330.

The question was put to President Spead and he replied as follows:

"Mr. O'Sullivan joined our union a few days ago and he guaranteed us his financial support. He said we might call upon him when the occasion required. We do not intend, however, to impose on Mr. O'Sullivan's generosity. The International Typographical union is behind this movement and will stand by us. For the first eight weeks that union will pay the single men who are on strike $5 a week and the married men $7 a week, and we have reason to believe that the union will extend the time beyond eight weeks, as that seemed to be the sentiment when the eight-hour day movement was discussed at the convention in Toronto a few weeks ago."

ANOTHER OFFICE SIGNS.

President Spead of the Typographical union today announced that the Baker Print had signed the agreement, making four that have already signed it, while the fifth has practically signed it.

Daniel S. Hannigan had three fingers of his left hand caught in a saw while at work at Platt's wood yard in Whipple street yesterday. Four stitches were required to close the cuts at the Emergency hospital.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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LOST—A lady's gun metal chatelaine watch between Elite Rink and Merrimack square. Finder return to Sun office.

LOST—A small bag. Finder return to Melvin Farm or Chelmsford Centre.

EXTRA

ATTEMPTED MURDER

"Pat" Dolan Attacked John Lennon Today With Knife

Mr. John Lennon, one of Lowell's oldest and best known citizens, had an almost miraculous escape from being stabbed to death with a razor-edged knife, plunged with the force that insane wrath could command at his abdomen.

His self-confessed assailant is probably as well known about the city, Patrick Dolan, the veteran horseman and race track follower, who in a moment of insane rage ran at Mr. Lennon with the knife as the latter was alighting from his carriage in front of his business establishment in Market street, near Dutton.

Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon as Mr. Lennon was alighting from his carriage in front of his store, Dolan came along and stopping, addressed Mr. Lennon in uncomplimentary terms.

"Go about your business," said Mr. Lennon, who had reason to fear Dolan, but before he could get out of the way Dolan sprang at him with the knife and made an upward thrust at him.

Immediately Mr. Lennon felt a sharp stinging sensation and he ran to the back of his carriage for protection. Dolan stood still for a moment and then, knife in hand, crossed Market street and turned into Worthen.

Mr. Lennon went into his store and made an examination which showed a clean cut an inch long that penetrated his coat, trousers and drawers, while a slight scratch showed where the knife had just grazed the skin.

The hole in the trousers was at a point slightly on the left side and at the lower portion of the abdomen. The nature of the thrust was such that almost any kind of a wound would have been fatal in that place.

Mr. Lennon upon recovering his composure drove to the police station and lodged a complaint and the police upon examining the clothing assured him that he had narrowly escaped a fatal wound and at once sent Inspector Welch out to find Dolan.

In a short time Inspector Welch returned with Dolan in custody, having located him in the public reading room of the library where every Saturday for the past 20 years Dolan has gone to read the weekly horse papers.

In his possession Inspector Welch had a long white handled pocket knife, with three blades, the biggest of which, about three inches long, was sharpened to the keenness of a razor, which he had taken from Dolan after the latter's arrest.

When brought face to face with Mr. Lennon, Dolan admitted having used the knife.

"Why did you do such a thing, Pat?" asked Deputy Welch.

"He would have got me if I didn't get him first," replied Dolan.

"Then you meant to injure him?" asked the deputy.

"I meant to cut his stomach out!" hissed Dolan in tones that could not be mistaken.

"Why, Pat, you don't mean to say that you would do cold-blooded murder?" asked the deputy.

"I wish I could have cut his heart out," said Dolan.

"We must lock you up for assault with a knife," then said Deputy Welch.

"Lock me up, Redmond, if you will," returned Dolan. "I wouldn't care if you hung me in the room here if I only put him out of the way first."

Then Inspector Welch led Dolan to the cells while the latter whispered to him on the way: "I'd like to have cut his heart out."

Dolan was formerly a man of wealth and has had a romantic career as a race track plunger. He is now in financial straits which may account for his present mental condition.

For some time past Dolan has shown signs of mental derangement, and his insane passion seemed to be directed against Mr. Lennon whom he imagined had done him a great wrong. Recently he became so threatening in his attitude toward Mr. Lennon that the latter for self-protection had him taken into the police court on a charge of threatening. He was placed on probation only to be taken in a second time, and again he was let go on parole. For the past week he appears to have been following Mr. Lennon wherever the latter went, with the culmination today as given above. The police have the address of a man who witnessed the attempted stabbing and this man saw the open knife in Dolan's hand before he ran at his victim.

THE MATHEWS

INVITE MR. JOHN H. HARRINGTON TO DELIVER LECTURE.

Mr. John H. Harrington, publisher of The Sun, has accepted the invitation of the Mathew Temperance Institute to address the members some evening next month. The committee in charge of the course of lectures arranged for the season requested Mr. Harrington to speak to the institute on his recent trip through Europe and an entertaining and instructive lecture is anticipated by the young men of the Mathews.

Going Out of Business

We close our Lowell store Oct. 1st. We desire to convert our fine stock of groceries into cash.

If you are interested in low prices buy now at Yerxa's, 223 Central Street.

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Granulated Sugar 5 1-2c lb
Force - - - 10c pkg
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Fancy Tomatoes - 9c can $1 doz
Fancy Corn 9c can, $1 doz
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6 O'CLOCK

CASE OF SUICIDE

Swampscott Woman Was Found Dead

MURDER AT FIRST SUSPECTED

Gas Poisoning Caused Her Death

SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., Sept. 16.—Death by suicide is the official finding in the case of Mrs. Jennie P. Chase, the wealthy Swampscott resident who was found dead Wednesday night at her home but the local police, on account of several suggestions of foul play in the case have not altogether stopped their investigation. Medical Examiner Pinkham, who was also Mrs. Chase's attending physician, declares that the woman committed suicide and assigned the cause of death as gas poisoning, with pneumonia as a contributing agency. The woman inhaled the gas some time last Sunday and on Wednesday when she died, she remained unconscious. The fact of her condition, it is said, was known only to her husband, Dr Horace Chase, a retired physician, and to Dr. Pinkham. Mrs. Chase married Dr. Chase several years ago. She inherited a large estate from the late Eben Phillips. Later Mrs. Chase adopted the son of her husband by a former wife. The son, who will inherit the woman's property, is declared to be seriously ill. Under the terms of the trust agreement by which the estate exists, it is said that the property would pass to Dr. Chase in the event of his son's demise.

When Mrs. Chase was found unconscious she was fully dressed. Near her were two parots and a canary bird in cages and across her body lay a poodle dog. Birds and dogs were dead. Gas was pouring from jets and also from a gas stove. On a table nearby was a note which was unaddressed and which read as follows:

"I commit this act of my own free will. Nobody is to blame. It is my own free act and deed. I direct that I be buried in the dress that I have on and that my body be buried in Swampscott cemetery. I also request that my hens be put out of the way as early as possible."

The note was signed "Jennie." The penmanship is said to have been that of Mrs. Chase. The condition of the woman was discovered by her husband who was attracted to the room by the odor of gas. He had been treating his son, who is critically ill from cirrhosis. The door of the room was locked and Dr. Chase was forced to make entrance through a window. The fact that the woman had tried to commit suicide was kept from the public as well as the members of Mrs. Chase's family including her brothers, Eben and Charles E. Phillips. The continued investigation by the police is said to be due to the wishes of Mrs. Chase's brothers. Mrs. Chase was the sister of Daniel K. Phillips, the wealthy real estate owner of Boston and Swampscott, who drowned himself a few months ago near his home here. This afternoon Chief-of-Police Harris announced that the relatives of Mrs. Chase including Messrs. Eben and Charles E. Phillips, had told him that they were satisfied that Mrs. Chase had taken her own life. Chief Harris was in conference during the day with the selectmen of the town. At this meeting it was agreed that the evidence of suicide was indisputable. It was decided then to discontinue all investigation.

BEST RECORD

WHITE STAR STEAMER ARABIA MADE FAST TRIP.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The White Star steamer Arabia arrived here from Liverpool today having beaten her best previous record for the run by one hour. She covered the course from Daunts Rock light, off Queenstown to Boston light, in six days, 18 hours, 24 minutes. Among the passengers who numbered 953 was Congressman Charles Littlefield, of Maine. Mr. Littlefield immediately went to the North station, where he took a train for his home in Rockland, Maine.

GOV. GLENN

WILL MAKE TRIP THROUGH THE WHITE MOUNTAINS.

WINCHENDON, Mass., Sept. 16.—Governor Glenn of North Carolina and members of his party, who last night were tendered a reception by citizens of this town in connection with the old home week celebration, today left for Concord, N. H. It is understood they will proceed to Fabyans, N. H., tomorrow, for a trip through White Mountains.

J. C. McNeil, a member of the staff of the Charlotte, N. C., Observer, who is one of the party and who was slightly hurt in an automobile accident near here was in a comfortable condition today and proceeded with the party. Guy Townsend of this town, who was seriously hurt in the same accident, passed a quiet night and it is believed his injuries are not dangerous. None of the others concerned in the accident was badly hurt.

Sunburn

Is promptly relieved, as summer vacationists and tourists have already learned, by the new and delightful toilet preparation, Hood's Lotion, which cools and soothes the inflamed and irritated skin and applied in time prevents peeling.

Large bottle, 35 cents. All druggists. C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

BROKEN HEART

Killed Girl as Mother Was Buried

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Grief over the demise of her mother caused Miss Adela Cavanagh's death yesterday afternoon at the very moment the body of her mother was being lowered into a grave in Calvary cemetery. The girl's death almost destroyed the reason of her brother Frank, the only surviving member of the family, who fell on his knees at the bier on his return from the funeral in a frenzy of sorrow and prayed to end his life, too. He grew so violent he had to be restrained.

"She died of a broken heart," was the verdict of Coroner's Physician Hegleman and Coroner O'Gorman, who view the body last night. She had been in the best of health up to yesterday afternoon, when the time came to remove the body. Then she fell upon the coffin in a paroxysm of grief. She was too ill to go to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, at One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Melrose avenue, from which the funeral was held.

Mrs. John Rice, a neighbor, remained with Miss Cavanagh, who talked incessantly of her mother.

"Now," she said, consulting her watch at 3.30, "they are taking my mother's body to the grave. Oh, why did she have to die and leave me here to suffer!"

She then went into another paroxysm that ended in unconsciousness. She roused herself again at 4 o'clock and again looking at her watch, exclaimed:

"They are putting her in the grave. The clods are dropping on her coffin. I will never see her any more. Gone! Gone! Gone! No more! No more!"

As she uttered the last word the young woman threw up her hands with a gesture of overwhelming grief and fell back on the couch, dead.

Frank Cavanagh reached the house at 8.30 o'clock last night and was surprised to see an undertaker's wagon at the door. When he discovered the truth his reason tottered and he beat his head upon the floor. He was taken in charge by kindly neighbors.

IS A BIGAMIST

His First Wife Had Shielded Him

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Knowing her husband and the father of her three little ones had practically deserted her for a newer face, and even with the rumor rankling within her heart that he had married her rival, Mrs. Adelaide Powers, of No. 50 Horatio street, she would have still forgiven his duplicity. But the children who were deprived of his care and affection were instrumental, in a roundabout way, in gaining justice for the mother who bore her wrongs patiently for five years.

The man was James J. Powers, and when he was arraigned in Essex Market court yesterday on the charge of bigamy, he gave his home as No. 108 Bank street. In court were two pretty young women who claimed him as husband.

Powers married his second wife in the church in which he had been wedded to the first, knowing that at the time of the ceremony his first spouse was living directly across the street. The Rev. John C. Palmer, pastor of the Emanuel Presbyterian chapel, in West Sixth street, performed the second marriage, and Dr. Ovington, then pastor of the chapel, officiated for Mrs. Powers No. 1 in 1896. Mrs. Powers No. 1 and Mrs. Powers No. 2 have been living within five blocks of each other for the last two years, but have never met.

Powers was in the habit of calling occasionally upon his first wife, but made his home at No. 108 Bank street, where Mrs. Powers No. 2 is mistress of the home. Perhaps his double life would never have become known had he not become in arrears in his payments to the city for the board of his two children, who were in a city institution. Agent Watson, of the Children's society, was asked to find the man, but his first wife, who lives at No. 50 Horatio street, could not tell where he was living.

Agent Watson finally discovered the man at the Bank street house and found, through the man's own confession, that he was married to a second wife without having a divorce from the first. He advised Mrs. Powers, of Horatio street, to have her husband arrested on the bigamy charge.

At her home yesterday Mrs. Powers No. 1, or Mrs. Adelaide Powers, said her husband had not been with her for more than a day or so at a time for five years.

"It was five years ago, this September," said she, "and only three weeks after my youngest child, Hazel, was born, that I heard of Miss Robinson, or, as she calls herself, Mrs. Powers. Her mother came to my home one morning to know if it was true that my husband was a married man. She was convinced when she saw me and saw my three children—Harry, Bella and Hazel.

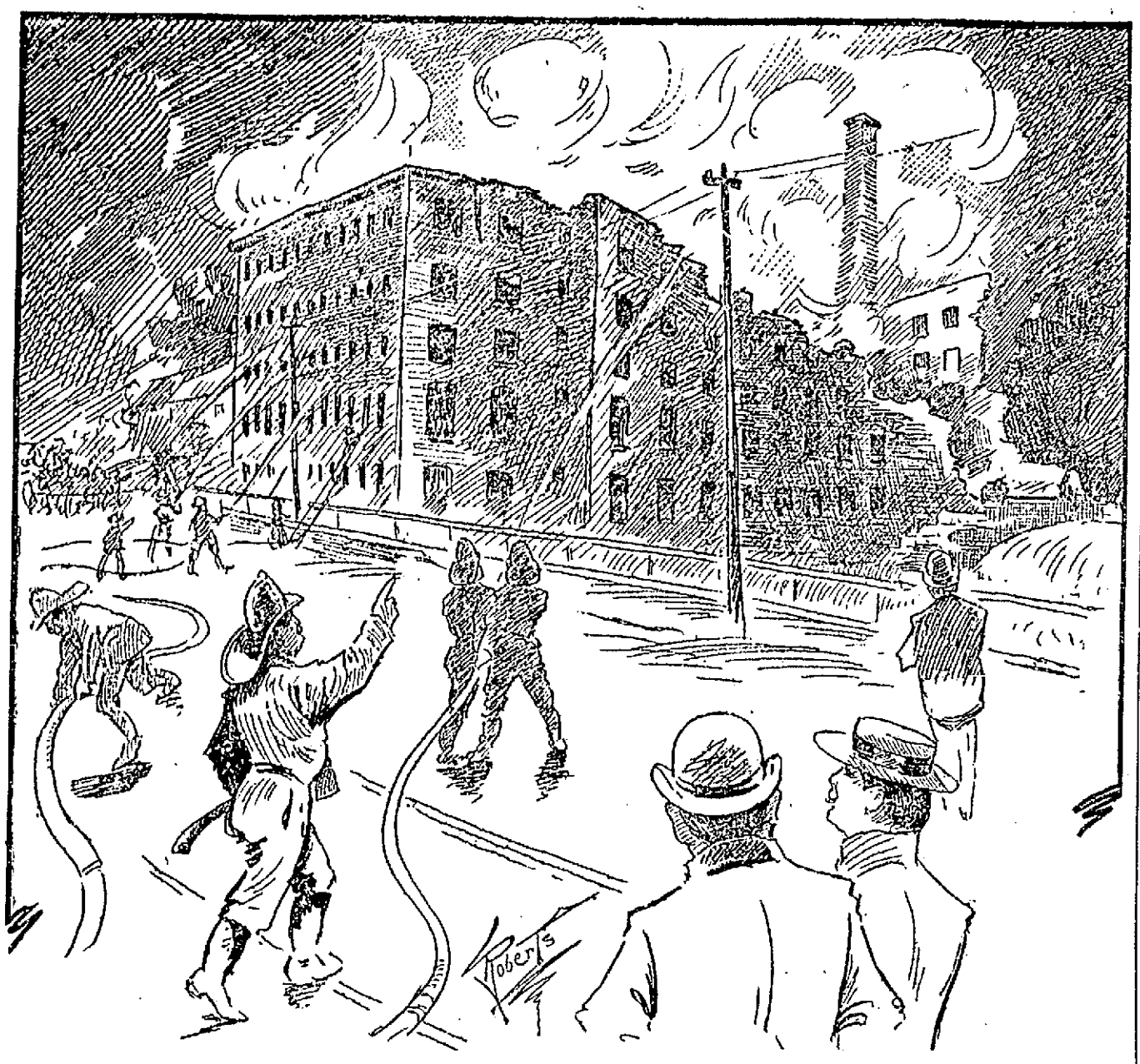
"That night her daughter, Miss Marion Ray Robinson, came to see for herself, and quarrelled with my husband in my presence. They did not speak to each other after that until New Year's, when Mr. Powers left me, and I have not seen him often since. I heard he was acquainted with Miss Robinson, but had no idea he had married her until Mr. Watson came to me and told me so."

MELVIN GUILTY

SALOON WRECKER WAS ACCUSED OF ROBBERY.

IOLA, Kans., Sept. 16—C. L. Melvin, who blew up with dynamite three saloons on July 10, was convicted yesterday of robbing the magazine of the Kansas Portland Cement company of the dynamite with which he blew up the saloons.

HEAVY LOSS



SKETCH OF THE FIVE-STORY PICKER MILL OF THE AMERICAN WOOLEN CO. AT COLLINSVILLE IN FLAMES.

Big Fire at Collinsville Mills This Morning

The five-story brick building, 120x80, the property of the American Woolen company, and a part of the Beaver Brook mills in Collinsville was destroyed by fire that broke out on the lower floor about midnight, last night. The loss, including stock and buildings, is estimated at $125,000.

Unless the company can arrange to supply the Beaver brook mills with stock from some other point the plant will have to close. The building that was burned included the carbonizing and dyeing departments and employed about 80 hands. These departments were destroyed and it is generally conceded that the picker house, store and boarding house would have been wiped out but for the timely arrival of the apparatus from Lowell.

PRES. WOOD'S STATEMENT.

President Wood of the American Woolen company arrived at the scene of the fire in an automobile, at about 9.30 this forenoon, and in conversation with a representative of The Sun set the loss between $100,000 and $150,000. Mr. Wood thinks that it will not be necessary to close the Beaver Brook mills. The company has mills in Burlington, Vt., and the stock necessary to keep the Beaver Brook mills going will be shipped from there. Mr. Wood said that the company would proceed to rebuild at once as it would be impossible to run the plant without the departments that were quartered in the building that was burned.

Mr. Wood is a philosopher and looks on the bright side of things. He said to The Sun reporter that when he got the news of the fire he feared it was the mill itself and he felt that the company was fortunate that the main buildings were saved. The stock and building were well insured but the loss, beyond the amount of insurance, will be heavy.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to be due to spontaneous combustion. The fire was discovered by the night watchmen, Messrs. Jackson and Shanks, and they notified two of the mill firemen. While the watchmen and the firemen were searching for the fire on the second floor it broke out in the basement, and despite the fact that the mills are equipped with good fire fighting apparatus, and good facilities, the firemen soon realized that they would not be able to cope with the blaze that was licking its way from the basement to the upper floors.

SPRINKLERS AT WORK.

The building was supplied with automatic sprinklers, and although they did all that could be expected of them they made but little impression upon the fire that had found good fuel in the stock on hand and the Lowell fire department was telephoned to. That was at 12.50 a. m. and the Lowell department responded with engine number five and hose wagon from Pawtucketville and hose eight from Merrimack street. The fire is still smouldering and two lines of hose belonging to the company are in operation.

WALLS ARE STANDING.

The walls of the building are standing but the floors have fallen and a slow fire is smouldering in the ruins. The building was erected in the fall of 1901 and took the place of the old wooden and stone building that was burned in the month of April, 1900. The firemen who responded to the fire this morning were the men who responded to the call for help when the old mill burned. The building where the fire occurred last night is situated on the opposite side of the street from the mills proper. The building fronts on the street and extends as far back as the falls.

The fire last night was not attended by any serious accidents but there were some narrow escapes. When the roof went in and the floors gave way bricks were hurled into the street and large pieces of the coping fell landing near the firemen. One of the company's firemen was hit by a brick but was not seriously injured.

The Lowell department remained on the ground until 10 o'clock. The fire was then under perfect control and an official of the mill told Assistant Engineer Norton that there was no need for him or his men to remain any longer. He thanked the assistant chief for the splendid assistance the Lowell department had rendered and said, "You will hear from us later."

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BIG PARADE

RUSSIAN JEWS TO MAKE A DEMONSTRATION.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Delegates representing 53 anti-Russian societies here met last night on the east side to protest against what they termed the friendly attitude of the United States toward the Russian government. After a spirited discussion it was decided to have a big protest parade of the Russian Jews next Monday calling attention to the sufferings of their people. All the Polish societies are to march and the labor organizations of the east side will be asked to join the parade.

PERJURY

CHARGED IN CONNECTION WITH NATURALIZATION FRAUDS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The state's attorney's office yesterday laid before the grand jury, evidence of trafficking in citizenship papers. One man was arrested on the charge of perjury in connection with the frauds and many true bills are expected to follow. It is asserted certain naturalization agents have made it their business to secure papers for from $3 to $10 for immigrants. As a spur to the business the foreigners were told they could secure employment more readily and at higher wages if they became citizens.

COAL

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SACK OF LETTERS

Found in Asst. Postmasters' Home

HE WAS REMOVED FROM OFFICE

Had Been Watched by Detectives

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A sack of letters is reported to have been found yesterday by inspectors in the home of Isaac G. Downing, who was removed from the office of Assistant postmaster at Yonkers last Saturday by orders from the department at Washington.

Mr. Downing had been Assistant postmaster for more than thirty years under all administrations. The inspectors are stated to have obtained entrance to his room secretely and were astonished when they discovered the sack.

Downing was removed and left the office in response to the following letter to the postmaster received from Washington:

"This office is in receipt of an inspector's report in which the removal of Isaac G. Downing, Assistant postmaster at your office is recommended at once on a charge of shortage in the money order and the postal box rent accounts, of falsifying the records of the office and of general incompetency. The charges against Mr. Downing are fully sustained and you are hereby authorized and directed to remove him from the service and to advise him by letter of the reason for the department's action."

For several days inspectors have had Downing under surveillance and on gaining secret entrance to his home proceeded at once to make a thorough search. They report, that the mail sack was a regulation one containing more than 250 missives, some of which had never been opened. Some of the postmarks dated back several years. Following the investigation at Yonkers, stories have been public of several mysterious shortages in recent years. It is related that one year ago a former clerk in the office had to make good a shortage of nearly $600, and died from grief and shame, protesting his innocence.

MANGLED BODY

Man Killed by a B. & M. Train

WOBURN, Mass., Sept. 16.—The badly mangled body of a man about 40 years old was found on the tracks of the southern division of the Boston & Maine railroad not far from the local station early today. The man evidently had been struck and killed by a north-bound train. In a pocket were found two poll tax receipts, one for 1904 and one for 1905, both made out in the name of "Alfred Fillon, 76 Beaupert street, Manchester, N. H." In another pocket were two tickets to an entertainment given in Manchester in July last.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

BY THE ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS' UNION.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—William Havenstraight of New York was chosen president of the Elevators Constructors' International union which held its closing session of its fourth annual convention today. San Francisco was chosen as the next convention seat and the convention will be held two years from this time or at the call of the executive board, which is composed of the international officers. Officers were elected as follows: President, William Havenstraight, New York; first vice-president, Peter Cryder, Pittsburg; second vice-president, J. C. McDonald, Boston; third vice-president, William Wedmore, San Francisco; fourth vice-president, John Lally, Chicago; fifth vice-president, F. W. Doyle, St. Louis; sixth vice-president, J. S. Irving, Philadelphia; secretary-treasurer, Henry Snow, Chicago and delegate to the American Federation of Labor, Frank Feeney, Philadelphia.

TAFT PARTY

VISITED BY LEADING CITIZENS OF TOKIO.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 16.—Secretary of War Wm. H. Taft has arrived here and today received visits from distinguished citizens of Tokio, a large number of local Japanese and foreign residents. There was no formal reception, the visitors calling direct upon Mr. Taft at his hotel. Afterwards he was the guest of M. Otani, a prominent merchant of this city.

All is quiet here.

LIBRARIAN CARVER DEAD.

AUGUSTA, Maine, Sept. 16.—L. D. Carver, state librarian, died today. Ten days ago he underwent an operation for kidney and liver trouble, and did not recover from the effects of the operation.

Mr. Carver was born in Lagrange, Maine, in 1841. He was graduated from Colby college in 1868. A few years later, he practised law in Waterville. In 1890 Gov. Burleigh appointed him state librarian. He was a veteran of the Civil war, Company D, Maine Infantry, and was a member of the Knights of Pythias as well as numerous library and historical associations. A widow and daughter survive.

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LATEST

BOILER EXPLODED

Five Persons Killed and Ten Were Injured

PINCONNING, Mich., Sept. 16—By the explosion of an alleged defective boiler at the State mill of Edward Jennings here today, five men were killed and eight or ten injured, two of them so seriously that they will probably die.

The dead:

RICHARD GIFFORD.
BERT BELL.
CHARLES EASTERMAN.
WILLIAM ATLIN.
ELIJAH PETERS.

Easterman and Atlin were married and leave families. The explosion came without the slightest warning to the workmen and the destruction of the mill was complete. Portions of the wreck were scattered about for several thousand feet.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPT 16, 1905.

8—John C. Whitty, 77, arterio sclerosis.
Romeo Brissette, 6 mos, chol inft.
9—James Foster, 46, apoplexy.
Stafana Farozzkewicz, 10 mos, chol infit.
Varnum C. Horn, 3 mos, nephritis.
Gratrumne Morrissette, 2 mos, enteritis.
10—Daniel McQuarrie, 47, ataxia.
Frank P. Garvey, 33, phthisis.
Joseph McCann, 1, chol infit.
Gertrude Thornber, 10 mos, colitis.
Francis Carney, 1, chol infit.
11—Lucie Lagasse, 69, pneumonia.
Mary Sheppard, 21, peritonitis.
Clemence A. Cote, 5 mos, chol infit.
Marie Y. Lesieur, 3 mos, chol infit.
12—Jane M. Qua, 94, old age.
James Lynch, 80, mitral regurgigation.
Aaron W. Butcher, 63, cer degeneration.
Joseph Gilbert, 22, phthisis.
Leo Champagne, 6 mos, enteritis.
D. Mary Sheppard, 2 days, debility.
Charlotte Caverly, 21 days, marasmus.
13—Bridget M. Stockbridge, 67, bronchitis.
14—Pierre Fontaine, 80, hemiplegia.
Charles Hastings, 1 day, infantile.
12—Viola E. Cotton, 73, disease of heart.
14—Henriettta Martin, 31, cancer.
15—Narcisse F. Allarie, 1, enteritis.
Joseph T. H. Caron, 16 days, debility.
16—Yvonne Labriche, 9 mos, enteritis.

GIRARD P. DADMAN,
City Clerk.

BIG PROFITS

THE HOLLINS SYNDICATE MADE $1,400,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Members of the H. B. Hollins syndicate made a profit of about $1,400,000 by the sale of their contracts for subscription rights to the stock of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road to J. P. Morgan & Co., according to the Herald. They disposed of 65,000 shares at 160, making a profit of $25 a share.

No statement regarding the acquisition of the railroad property was given out yesterday by Morgan & Co. Interests identified with the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton pointed out that while the firm normally had taken over a majority interest, the voting trustees still hold control of the property in that they had 65,000 shares tied up in the trust agreement in the hands of the United States Mortgage and Trust company. Voting trustees who were seen asknowledged that the situation was unchanged and that officially they knew nothing of the Hollins sale.

Members of the Hollins & Co., on the other hand said that at the next Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton meeting the directors of the road would decide where the control had gone. This question, they said, did not rest with the voting trustees.

$50 EACH

GIFT TO THE DETECTIVES WHO GUARDED RUSSIAN ENVOYS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Through an order issued by Commissioner of Police McAdoo it was learned yesterday that Harry Foye and James Downing, detective sergeants, who were assigned to guard Sergius Witte, the Russian peace envoy, while in this city, received presents of $50 each. The commissioner ordered that permission be granted for the detectives to receive the present which permission is required under the police regulations.

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JOHN A. McCALL

Will Testify at the Insurance Inquiry

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Announcement was made today that John A. McCall, president of the New York Life Insurance company, has been subpoenaed by the legislative committee on insurance inquiry and will appear before the committee when it resumes its sittings next week.

When Mr. McCall was asked today to make a statement about the testimony of Vice Pres. Perkins at yesterday's hearing relative to the republican campaign contributions on the part of the New York Life he replied:

"I have nothing to say in advance of any testimony before the legislative. When I appear before the committee I shall tell all I know."

Assemblyman Prentice, secretary of the insurance legislative committee, who is a republican, said today:

"The committee wants it understood that the revelation of the campaign contributions on the part of the New York Life were not any surprise to the committee. We knew of the transaction long before it was brought out in the testimony of Mr. Perkins and it was led up to gradually."

NORWAY'S FORCES

ARE BEING MOBILIZED ACCORDING TO REPORT.

PARIS, Sept. 16.—Despite contradictory statements, information reaching the highest quarters here shows that the mobilization of Norway's forces is now going on. The French government has made conciliatory representations at Stockholm with the view of averting a rupture. Official sentiment here tends toward an arrangement whereby Norway would be permitted to continue some of her frontier fortifications. It is understood that other powers are joining the Pacific representations as a rupture is considered likely to cause unrest and entanglements throughout Europe.

FUNERALS

FLOYD—The body of Mrs. Vira M., wife of Daniel A. Floyd, who died in Leominster, Sept. 13, was brought to her father's residence, 16 Nichols street, yesterday noon, and funeral services were held in the afternoon, Rev. O. C. S. Wallace, D. D., of the First Baptist church, conducted the services.

The many friends in Leominster, which she had made in one year, showed their esteem by the many and beautiful flowers accompanying the remains to this city, and to which were added a large number of sprays and set pieces from relatives and friends here, who filled the house. The bearers were Harry Stocks, Charles T. Gardner, Craven Midgley and Frank J. Spaulding. Interment was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Ela.

STOCKBRIDGE—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget M. Stockbridge took place yesterday from her late home, 420 Broadway. The bearers were John Devine, Edward Plante, Louis Landry and Leon Lafarge. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Callahan read the committal prayers at the grave. Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons had charge.

COTTON—The funeral of Mrs. Viola E. Cotton took place yesterday afternoon from her late home, 1 Barlon avenue. Rev. D. B. Martin of the Paige Street Free Baptist church, of which the deceased was one of the oldest members, officiated. Miss Ethel Torrey Smith sang in a beautiful manner "Lead Kindly Light," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The bearers were Arthur W. Sherman and Ellis F. Miller, relatives of, and Arthur W. Cotton and Stanley L. Cotton, grandsons of the deceased.

Numerous and beautiful floral tributes were sent by loving friends. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. Undertaker C. M. Young & Co. had charge. A faithful wife, a loving mother and a valued friend has gone to her rest and her reward.

TOOEY—Ellen Tooey, infant child of Edward and Margaret, died this morning at the home of her parents, 16 Agawam street. The funeral took place this afternoon at four o'clock and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery, and was under the direction of Funeral Directors Charles H. Molloy & Sons.

TESTING THE COURSE.

ROCKLAND, Maine, Sept. 16.—The armored cruiser Colorado left the harbor here at sunrise today for the Munroe Island trial course and in fairly favorable weather conditions steamed back and forth at varied speeds for the purpose of comparing the relative merits of the course here with that previously used at Provincetown, Mass. Upon completion of today's experiments the members of the naval board will go to Washington and prepare their report.

LOSES INTEREST

Because He Bid Off a Loan

BIDDER RECEIVED NO MONEY

Interesting Decision in Local Bank Case

The commissioners of savings banks of this state have just made an interesting decision on a complaint made by one Beaudry of this city against the Lowell Co-operative bank.

It seems that Beaudry, desiring to borrow some money, went before the security committee of the bank and that committee told him that they would recommend to the directors that a loan be granted for $3600, and that he could bid that amount off.

Mr. Beaudry, it is claimed, assuming that the recommendation of the committee would be accepted by the directors, bid off that amount forthwith and paid in $105 for which $90 was on the shares and $15 for interest.

Subsequently, however, the directors turned down the recommendation of the security committee as they did not consider the security satisfactory. When Mr. Beaudry applied for the amount of the loan he failed to get it. Then he asked for the money he had paid in. He was given $90 paid on the shares but the interest was withheld on the ground that by bidding off the money he had kept others from getting it. Mr. Beaudry related the facts of the case to a friend who is familiar with banks and banking, and the latter laid the matter before the savings banks commissioners as a result of which this morning he received a reply from James O. Otis, one of the commissioners, who writes as follows:

"I have just received a reply from the officials of the Lowell Co-operative bank, regarding the Beaudry matter and I quote therefrom as follows: 'The facts in the case are, Mr. Beaudry applied for $4000 and the security committee of the Lowel Co-operative bank told him that they would recommend to the directors that a loan be granted for $3600, and that he could bid that amount off. They did not tell him he could have that amount, as they had no authority to do so, and when action was taken by the full board of directors they did not consider the security satisfactory. If we had $10,000 to sell and bidders for $15,000, would it be justice to let a person bid off $3600 and keep another party from getting it, and then pay them back interest paid in?'

"Assuming the statement above quoted to be true, it would appear that the action of the bank was entirely within its legal rights, a conclusion in which you seemingly agree.

"The board will give its consideration to your suggestion as to amending the law governing such cases."

SAFE WRECKED

BURGLARS ESCAPED WITH $125 IN CASH.

SOUTH ROYALTON, Vt., Sept. 16.—Burglars early today blew open the safe in the office of T. Foster, grain and coal dealer, in this village, and escaped with $125 in cash and several checks for small amounts. Suspicions had been directed against three young men who were seen in the vicinity last evening and who were strangers in town.

LAUNCH STOLEN

LARCENY CHARGE AGAINST TWO PROVIDENCE MEN.

FALL RIVER, Sept. 16.—Paul Verne and Louis J. Talbot of Providence were arraigned in the district court this morning, charged with having stolen the naphtha launch Mystery, owned by George Shopman of Niantic, Conn., from a wharf in New London, Sept. 3. At first both men demanded requisition papers before they would return to Connecticut. Later Verne confessed to the theft and exonerated Talbot. The latter was discharged and the former agreed to return to New London with Officer Jefferson of Niantic who had come to arrest him.

BONAPARTE IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Secretary of the navy Chas. S. B. Bonaparte made a visit to the Charlestown navy yard today. Rear Admiral Snow received the Secretary and escorted him around the yard on an informal tour of inspection. Later Secretary Bonaparte was entertained at luncheon by Admiral Snow.

NO JOINT SESSION.

KARLSTADT, Sept. 16.—No joint session of the Norwegian and Swedish delegates was held this morning. The delegates conferred with their respective military experts and it is expected that some communication will be made in the course of the day. Hopefulness was the predominant sentiment.

The report that the powers had made representations to Sweden was based on the fact that Great Britain, France and Germany offered their friendly services, if necessary.

WITH IMPERIAL HONORS.

SEOUL, Korea, Sept. 16.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, Major General Corbin and Rear Admiral Train and party are expected to arrive here on Tuesday next. The Emperor is preparing to welcome them with Imperial honors. The travellers will remain a few days in Korea, whence they will go to Japan by way of Fusan.

DR. BENOIT'S

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Pallor, Weakness, Lack of Appetite, General Debility, Poor Blood, Acid Stomach, Sick Headache, Nausea, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Distress After Eating, Poor Digestion, Coated Tongue, Heartburn, Pain in the Stomach, Pain in the Chest, Tired and Sleepless, Nervousness, and Constipation. For all the above it will be found certain, prompt and positive. Sold at all druggists.

NATIVES BEATEN

Sixty of Their Number Were Killed

BERLIN, Sept. 16.—An official dispatch from Haraebis, German South West Africa, says:

Major Meister's column of troops engaged the insurgent Hottentots westward of here Sept. 13. After five hours' fighting the natives gave way, leaving 60 dead. Two Germans were killed and 12 including Major Muerecker were wounded.

KILLED HIMSELF

RATHER THAN FACE REFUSAL OF GIRL

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The mystery surrounding the suicide of Myer F. Hurwitz, Hoboken, was cleared yesterday by a letter written by Hurwitz himself, in which he declared his betrothal to the woman he loved had been twice broken and that his great love for her had caused him to end his life. The letter strongly indicates that he was in fear of a third breaking off of the engagement.

Hurwitz's death took place under dramatic circumstances a week ago yesterday. After placing the announcement of his engagement to Miss Belle Hart, of 252 Washington street in the morning papers, the young man called at the home of his fiancee. In the midst of a conversation with the girl he suddenly drew from his pocket a phial of carbolic acid, drank the poison, and, throwing the bottle aside, fired a bullet through his heart.

The message enclosed in a letter to his brother was made public yesterday. It is, in part, as follows:

"Believing this to be of interest to a good many of my friends and acquaintances, I beg you to publish the following:

"Am quite aware that suicide is considered a cowardly act. In fact, this has been my own opinion, but there are exceptions to every rule. My suicide is entirely due to my deep love. We have been engaged since June 16. Since that time our engagement was broken twice. I have succeeded in regaining her every time.

"Just a week ago today she promised that we would get married some time this winter. I have no doubt that she would keep her word and marry me, but it is much better that I should end it all and avoid suffering and slow torture.

Very respectfully yours,
"MYER F. HURWITZ."

RELIEF MONEY

$20,000 SENT TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 16.—The American embassy has received from the Japanese legation at Berlin $20,000 to be devoted to the relief of the 1716 Japanese prisoners now at Medvid province of Novogorod. Charge d' Affaires Eddy will go to Medvid at the end of next week to make arrangements for the distribution of the money. All the prisoners will be released and repatriated as soon as the signed peace treaties are exchanged between the two governments.

There is noticeable in court circles a marked feeling of gratitude to Pres. Roosevelt and the United States for their services in bringing about peace.

BODY FOUND

WORCESTER MAN MURDERED BY BLOW ON HEAD.

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 16.—The body of Geo. R. Griswold, state manager of the Mutual Life Insurance of Worcester, Mass., was found today in the Raccoon river. He had been murdered by a blow on the head. Robbery was the object. His pockets were turned inside out and cut. Every article of value but a plain gold band ring had been removed.

Last Tuesday Griswold left Omaha, Neb. There is no clue to the murderer.

DELAYED

TRIAL OF COMMANDER YOUNG POSTPONED FOR A FEW DAYS.

VALLEJO, Cal., Sept. 16—The court-martial to try Commander Lucien Young of the gun-boat Bennington, in connection with the disastrous boiler explosion on that vessel at San Diego assembled yesterday. Admoral Glass presided. Judge Gear of Honolulu who represented Commander Young, said he was not ready to proceed and the trial was postponed for a day or two.

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COWLES—William A. Cowles, formerly of Dorchester and Somerville, died at his home in Billerica, Friday, at the age of 70 years. Mr. Cowles was born in East Hartford, Conn., in 1834, and early moved to Dorchester, then to Roxbury, where he served six years on the police force. At the breaking out of the civil war he enlisted in Company I, 42d Regiment, M. V. M., and served until the regiment was mustered out. He was a member of Post 26, G. A. R., and of Cambridge Lodge, No. 191, Knights of Honor. He leaves a widow and two daughters. The funeral will take place from his home in Pond street, Billerica, on Tuesday, at 2 p. m.

BAD COLLISION

Engineer Killed Beneath His Engine

KIMMEL, Ind., Sept. 16.—In a collision between east-bound passenger train No. 14 and a light engine on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, one mile west of here early today, engineer Stephen Snyder of Garrett, Ind., was killed beneath his engine and baggageman Frank Smoots of Chicago Junction, Ohio, was crushed beneath the wrecked baggage car. A tramp known to be stealing a ride is as yet unaccounted for and probably was killed. A score of passengers were hurt by flying glass and splinters.

PINK TEAS

CHICAGO WOMAN WANTS THEM DONE AWAY WITH.

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The exclusion of afternoon receptions with their pink teas, costly gowns and other luxuries from the local, state and national meetings of the women's clubs was advocated yesterday by Mrs. Jas. Frake, of Chicago, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, in her address before the sixth congressional district convention of women's clubs, held at Maywood. She contended that the receptions usually given were extravagant and unbusiness like.

"It seems to me," said Mrs. Frake to the 300 women in attendance, "that it is a waste of time for ladies to spend the hours that ought to be devoted to the work of the clubs in gossiping at afternoon receptions.

"The general federation meetings should stand for the average home where luxuries are the exception. We should go to the conventions to transact business rather than devote our time to pleasure."

REV. DR. HALL

IS REPORTED TO BE OUT OF DANGER.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 16.—Dr. Frank O. Hall, pastor of the Church of the Divine Paternity in New York, who has been confined at a private hospital in this city, it was stated today, is out of danger.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Am Sugar	139¼
*Am Sugar pfd	139
A & T	91
*A & T pfd	105
B & O	113
B & O pfd	98
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	69⅝
Chi & Gt W	21⅝
C M & St P	178⅝
C R & P	34
C R & P pfd	79¼
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N Y Ont & W	54⅝
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U S Steel	37
U S Steel pfd	104⅛
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Amalgamated	82⅝
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Anaconda	214⅝
Allouez	33
American Agriculture	23¾
American Agricultural pfd	95½
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Bingham	29⅞
Boston	7½
Calumet & Hecla	680.
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Chicago Junction pfd	126
Copper Range	68¼
Dom Steel	21½
Dom Coal	79
Dom Coal pfd	116
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Elm	2½
Franklin	18¼
Granby	7½
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Mass Gas pfd	88
Mass Electric	16½
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Shoe Machinery pfd	31½
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Quincy	101
Santa Fe	2
Trinity	8⅝
United Fruit	110
United States Oil	10
United States	34⅞
Utah	45⅝
Victoria	4⅞
Winona	10½
Wolverine	125
Western Tel	16
Western Tel pfd	98
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HOUSE ENTERED

But Burglars Failed to Get Jewels

GREENWICH, Conn., Sept. 16.—C. H. DeLavergne, a member of the New York firm of Hackett, Carhart & Co., reported today an attempted robbery at his residence at Belle Haven last night. While the family were at dinner about 7 o'clock, a burglar entered a room in the second story. The house is about to be closed and the belongings of the family had been packed up. On a bed was a chest containing about $2500 worth of silver, and the burglar evidently attempted to open this with skeleton keys but was disturbed and fled before accomplishing his purpose. He left a key in the box and a straw hat supposed to belong to him was found on the lawn. Two satchels which contained only articles of clothing are missing. Mr. DeLavergne denied a story that the robbers took away some jewels. The furnishings of the house are to be sold at auction soon and the sale has been widely advertised. This is supposed to have led to the attempted robbery.

The authorities who are investigating the shooting of Mrs. C. W. Morrell and the attempted burglary at her house are not inclined to connect this latest break with that one.

COSY CORNER

TEN DOLLAR PRIZE FOR THE BEST SOFA PILLOW.

The management of the Elite skating rink has inaugurated a contest that is exciting great interest among the lady patrons. A cosy corner has been arranged and the lady who provides the prettiest sofa pillow will receive a prize of ten dollars. The contest will be open for two weeks longer.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE.

The executive committee of the United Irish League met last night and arranged for the meeting to be held in Hibernian hall Sunday evening. A local speaker will address the meeting and a musical program will be presented.

The committee having charge of the lecture to be given by Rev. Fr. Fitzpatrick, O. M. I., on "Irish Music," at Associate hall, Sunday evening, Sept. 24, reported that the event promised to be a great success.

It was the sentiment of the meeting that the Irish cause had sustained a great loss in the death of the late Patrick A. Collins, mayor of Boston.

GOT SIX MONTHS

TYNGSBORO HEN THIEF SENTENCED YESTERDAY.

Joseph J. Keeley, an old offender, was sentenced by Judge Stevens in the Middlesex superior court, at East Cambridge, yesterday, to states prison for not less than three nor more than four years, the first day to be solitary confinement, for breaking and entering O'Donnell's drug store on Cambridge street, Cambridge, on the night of March 10 and stealing several hundred cigars.

In the same court August Klin, alias Steven Summers, was given two years in the house of correction for stealing tools valued at $75, the property of Silas Morash and W. H. Rice of Hammond street, Cambridge.

James Honey pleaded guilty to breaking and entering, and stealing six hens and a wheelbarrow from Dudley S. Page of Tyngsboro, June 9. He was given six months at hard labor at the house of correction.

Edward Gleason received a sentence of two years in the house of correction for stealing a watch in Watertown and Thomas Brown, for illegal liquor keeping, paid a fine of $50.

The jury in the case of Joseph Elwood of Boston, charged with breaking and entering the drug store of Dr. Saunders, Cambridge street, near Fifth street, in June, was found guilty.

Bradford G. Stockton, a furniture dealer and piano mover of Cambridge, was found guilty by a jury of an assault on Lorena, the 11-year-old daughter of George Roffe of 76 Clarke street, Cambridge, Aug. 29. He will be sentenced Monday.

On the stand Stockton said that the little girl was in his yard taking an armful of his wood, and he called to her to drop it, which she did and ran toward her home. He said he picked up a stick of wood and chased her, and that while she was climbing through the window he hit her with the stick three times. He accounted for her torn clothing by saying it might have been caused when he grabbed her.

Stockton has a long record of arrests, on charges of assault and battery, drunkenness and keeping a disorderly house.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

This coming week a special attraction is scheduled for the Academy of Music, and one which is positive to please everybody. It is the drama, "Jim Bludso," the play being founded on "The Pike County Ballads," by the late John Hay. This play was originally staged by Mr. Severin De Deyn, and that gentleman will play the title role next week. The scene of the drama is in the lowlands of Pike county, Missouri, where the people had to resort to the use of levees to keep the angry waters of the Mississippi river from breaking into and flooding their lands. "Jim Bludso," a rough, uncouth and ignorant, but good hearted fellow, is the hero. He is the engineer of the "Prairie Bell" which plys up and down the river. His little son, "Gabe," called "Little Breeches," is an interesting character and his father thinks the world of him. "Banty Tim," a negro, who is not wanted in Pike county, is a prominent character.

The piece is finely written and well staged. Tickets are now on sale at the box office. Popular prices as usual.

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RECEPTION

TENDERED TO MR. AND MRS. STEPHEN J. KIRBY.

A very pleasant farewell reception was tendered last night to Mr. Stephen J. Kirby, for many years connected with the assessors' office, and his estimable wife, who are about to leave for California where they will reside with their daughter.

The reception took place at the home of Mrs. Titus on Merrill avenue and was given by friends from the Centralville M. E. church.

A fine program of music was given, consisting of the following selections: Piano solo, H. B. Stewart; song, Miss Titus; song, Mr. Worth; song, Miss Cluer; duet, Miss Titus and Mr. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby were presented with a dozen silver spoons by Mrs. Kirby's Sunday school class and the Ladies' Aid society of the church, the presentation speech being made by Rev. Dr. Whitaker.

After the musical program refreshments were served and a sociable evening was spent. Many regrets and wishes of success for the future were expressed and the party said good-night at a late hour.

Mrs. Kirby is the retiring president of the Ladies' Aid society and a very prominent worker of the Centralville M. E. church, where she will be greatly missed.

Joe's opening social, Prescott hall, Sat. night. Music Hibbard's orchestra.

SACRED CONCERT.

A sacred concert will be given at the Academy of Music Sunday afternoon and evening, Sept. 17. The concert will be conducted after the style of those held last year and which proved to be so popular with the theatre-going people of this city.

There will be a fine collection of moving pictures, prominent among which will be "Rafles the Dog," "Off for the Holidays," "Sleighing Party," and many others.

Daniel J. Sullivan, better known as "Our Sully," who played with the Huntington-DeDeyn Stock company in this city last year, and who will make his initial appearance in "Jim Bludso," will be heard in connection with illustrated songs. He will sing "The Holy City" in connection with the moving pictures, illustrating that song; "Good Night, Beloved, Good Night," and "Only a Private."

The concerts are for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church, and the prices will be 10 and 20 cents in the afternoon and 10, 20 and 30 cents at night.

Miss Rose Hanlon is a student at the Lowell Commercial college.

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Business and Money

The Mass. Mut. Accident Association of 161 Devonshire street, Boston, is about to re-organize its agency force in Lowell and vicinity to sell its dollar a month industrial accident and health policy. The sales are everywhere enormous, and the right man can make big money. Address at once.

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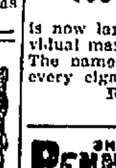

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TAKEN TO CANADA

Alfred Lavigne Takes Little George Martin

WITHOUT NOTIFYING BOY'S PARENTS

And Refuses to Send Him Back

Alfred Lavigne, who formerly ran a bakery on Middlesex street, recently sold his business and departed for Canada, taking with him 12-year-old George Martin, the son of George Martin, a Moody street baker, without the knowledge or consent of the boy's parents. He was located at Waterloo, P. Q., a few days ago, and the boy's parents immediately communicated with him, demanding the return of their son. In reply thereto, a letter has been received to the effect that the boy is better off than he would be with his parents, and that Lavigne has no intention of sending the little fellow back to the states.

Lawyer Guillet, acting for the boy's parents, will institute legal proceedings to get the boy back.

It seems that the boy was in the habit of hanging around Lavigne's shop, and sometimes spent the night there. Almost four months ago the boy remained away from home longer than usual, and the parents becoming alarmed, went to Lavigne's shop, where they learned that Lavigne had removed to Canada, taking the boy with him. Mr. Martin at once consulted J. H. Guillet, who, after some correspondence, located Lavigne and the boy at Waterloo, P. Q.

Mr. Guillet at once communicated with Lavigne, notifying him that he must restore the lad to his parents. In response he has received a letter, written on a sheet of legislative council notepaper, but signed unofficially by a name not known to the council. The writer of the letter states that Mr. Lavigne has told him the circumstances and goes on to say that the boy is on a farm, with the Lavigne family, that he is kindly treated and is much better off than he would be in the city, and that in the writer's opinion he ought to remain there.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to June 26, 1905. Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.47, w6.50, 7.01 7.21, 7.31, *7.45, x7.52, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, 9.33, w10.00, 11.07, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.47, *1.56, w2.25, 2.55, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, *4.02, 4.23, w5.06, 5.22, x5.43, *6.12, w6.15, 7.00, *7.31, 8.34, w9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.15, 8.45, 9.20, 10.30 a. m.; w12.10, 2.25, w3.55, 5.10, w5.50, *6.15, *7.31, w8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.39, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w1.15, 1.25 (to Lawrence only), w2.25, 3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.30, wq11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.50, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.47, 2.25, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 3.55, 5.50, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, x2.25, x3.55, w5.06, 5.28, x7.00 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.25, 3.00, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth, and stations on York Beach R. R., 3.00 p. m., until Sept. 18, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.50 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.50 p. m. (Does not connect for Old Orchard.)

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 5.06, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.50 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.50 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 train does not run Saturdays) SUNDAYS, 5.50 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at w1.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.48, 11.07 a. m.; 4.23 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.18, 10.30 a. m.; 2.25 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, 7.48, 9.33, 11.07, a. m.; 1.56, 2.55, 4.23, 5.22 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.45, 9.20, 10.30 a. m.; 2.25, 5.10 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.01 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington and Hillsboro, 9.01 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Keene and Way Stations, 9.01 a. m.; 4.07 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 12.22 (to Nashua), 7.30, 9.01, *9.39, *9.59, *10.39 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, *1.20, *1.51, 3.40, (4.07 to Nashua), 5.33, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02, *10.39 a. m.; *12.00, 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; b*12.00, 1.39, 5.39, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39, p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River, b10.39 a. m.; 1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont Line, *9.39 a. m.; *b12.00, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *b10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

References:
a Via Wakefield Junction.
* Express. b Daily.
q Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
w Via Western Division.
x Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junct.

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VESSEL ON FIRE

Fishing Schooner Had Perilous Trip

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Sept. 16.--With her cabin on fire and her gasolene tank in imminent danger of being ignited, the Gloucester fishing steamer Veda H. McKown, Captain Sol Jacobs, anchored in this harbor during last night. Three boat loads of sailors from the United States monitor Arkansas, which was at anchor nearby, went to the assistance of the steamer and the flames were finally extinguished. The interior of the cabin was badly burned and the captain and crew lost most of their personal effects.

The fire started when the vessel was off Plymouth, from a spark which fell into some gasolene which had been spilled on the cabin floor. From Plymouth to Wood End, the steamer was worked along, the crew making every effort to put out the fire. Off Wood End, it was decided that owing to the danger of an explosion of the tank, the majority of the crew should go ashore. Accordingly, all but Captain Jacobs and one other man took to the boats. The two men left aboard succeeded in bringing the McKown into Provincetown harbor, where they anchored and signalled for assistance to the monitor Arkansas. The flames were extinguished before they reached the tank.

Captain Jacobs said he would proceed to Gloucester today and make repairs there. The net tonnage of the Veda H. McKown is 83 and she carries a crew of 17 men.

KILLED BY CAR

Somerville Man Struck by a Trolley

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.--An unidentified man about 45 years, and in whose pocket was found a card bearing the name "Erik Watson, 22 Somerville, Mass." was run down and killed by a trolley car in the Bowery early today. The other side of the card bore the name "E. Merrill." A witness of the accident declared that the motorman, after stopping the car, started it up again while the man's body lay under the wheels. The motorman disappeared.

ANNIVERSARY

OBSERVED BY THE O'DONNELL DRY GOODS COMPANY.

A year ago the O'Donnell Dry Goods company opened its doors to the public with an elegant and complete line of dry goods and now it is one of the most successful establishments in this city. The stunning display in their large show windows attracted every passerby as the exhibit was the finest ever seen in this city and reflects great credit on the window trimmer, Mr. John J. Boulger, who has become an expert in this line. In the interior of the store the same grand effect is carried out. The leading feature of course is the millinery display, which is very elaborate with picture hats and London and Parisian novelties as well as many beautiful creations of their own milliners. The cloak and suit department is the next in importance and attracted great attention. Mr. James A. Kelly bought largely in the New York markets of suits, coats and furs. This year the firm intends to make a specialty of furs and the prices will be within reach of everybody. It is said furs will be more popular than ever this winter, and with their large variety they will easily be the leaders in this line of goods. Their dress goods department is very large and the tendency is toward plain weaves in soft, subdued colors. Every new shade and weave from looms at home and abroad you will find. There are Muscovites, Prunella, Opanla, Henriettas, French Batiste, Cappetta, Phantom Checks, Poplins, Silk and Henrietta, Melrose, Panama, Silk and Wool Plaids, Tailor Suitings, Broadcloths, Checked Worsted and kindred fabrics in a full series of new shades, including Burgundy, Bronze, Leaf Green, Olive, Plum, Smoke and many other shades.

All the departments such as the lace, ribbon and gents' furnishings are complete in stock and add much to the general display.

In the basement the china and domestic utensils are on sale, and the glass and silverware made this also a very attractive department. This domestic department is on the ground floor of the Fellows building on Middle street and is perhaps the largest and most complete department of the kind in this city. Comforters, blankets, table linen and everything you might ask for in the domestic line can be found here. To add to the attraction the Middlesex orchestra discoursed sweet music all the afternoon. The opening was a grand success in every particular. Miss Curran who has charge of the millinery department and her many assistants were busy receiving orders. Mr. Kelly and Mrs. Henry with a number of assistants were receiving orders for coats and garments, and the whole establishment appeared to be doing a prosperous business.

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STREET LIGHTING

Committee Takes Up Competitive Tests

The committee on street lighting, Aldermen Carmichael and Fairweather, met last night and listened to suggestions and arguments relative to the proposed scheme of competitive demonstration in street lighting between the Lowell Gas Co. and the Lowell Electric Light Co. Aldermen Allen and Rourke of the committee on wires were present and the lighting companies were represented by counsel, William H. Bent for the Lowell Electric Light Co., Frank E. Dunbar for the Lowell Gaslight Co., and John C. Burke for the Cleveland Lighting company.

Manager Wilcox of the Lowell Electric Light corporation was among those present and joined in the discussion of competitive lighting.

Mr. Dunbar, in regard to the proposed competitive exhibition, stated the willingness of his company to enter the competition side by side with the electrics, the light burning at alternate hours, if necessary indefinitely, and favored Westford street or upper Moody street for the exhibition.

When Alderman Carmichael asked "What about the Cleveland company?" Mr. Dunbar said he did not consider it a matter of competition of two gas companies, but between the local gas company and the Electric Light company.

Manager Wilcox of the Electric Light corporation agreed to this. He also mentioned Marlborough street as a good place for the exhibition on account of its proximity to the car lines and there would be a space of about 1000 feet.

Chief Hosmer did not offer any suggestions.

Alderman Allen favored Tyler street, as he did not believe in tearing up paved streets for gas pipes. He said there were enough poor streets now.

Mr. Bent had a lengthy paper drawn up proposing to have the exhibition in Paige, French and Lee streets, and the connecting streets; also in Marlborough street, beginning Sept. 20 and running to the 24th, inclusive.

Mr. Dunbar thought Mr. Bent's proposition unfair, inasmuch as some of the streets named were "backed right up to the dynamos of the electric company and would get more juice than in a distant part of the city.

Mr. Bent answered this by stating that Mr. Dunbar's words showed him to be unfamiliar with the location of the dynamos of the electric corporation; that they were in Perry street, Belvidere, instead of near French, Paige and Lee streets. He also said the diminution of pressure, which was very slight, obtained in the gas pipes as it did in the electric wires.

"I want to be wholly fair in this," said Mr. Bent. "The electric light corporation is thankful for a chance to show its light under perfectly fair conditions; they want to take no unfair advantage of any competitor."

The committee adjourned to meet at 4.30 this afternoon.

ACCIDENTS

LITTLE GIRL WAS BITTEN BY A DOG.

Olla Anderson, aged four years, while attempting to take a bone away from a small fox terrier dog, at her home, 675 Gorham street, yesterday received bites about the face and hands. She was taken to the Emergency hospital where she received treatment.

Adil Mongeon, aged 20 years, and residing at 4 Blanchery street, had the index finger of the left hand caught in the rollers of a spinning frame at the United States Bunting mills yesterday. Four stitches were taken in the wound at the Emergency hospital.

William H. Wilson, aged 3, fell on the sidewalk in front of his home, 3 Newhall street yesterday, sustaining a lacerated scalp wound which required three stitches to close. His injuries were treated at the Emergency hospital.

Alfred Laflamme, of 67 Liberty street, injured the fingers of the right hand in a staking machine at the American Hide and Leather company's factory yesterday afternoon. He received lacerations and abrasions of the fingers.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE--A farm in Tyngsboro; six acres; a large number of fruit trees. If purchased at once will sell at a great bargain. Inquire Tyngsborough Woods Corner. Fred Patnaud.

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WANTED--By a man with 30 years' experience, a partner with $500 to start in the spool and bobbin business in fine location. Address G. S. M., 19 Whitney street, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED--From 25 to 75 cans of milk daily. For particulars inquire at 512-511 Merrimack street. P. D. L.

WANTED--Boarders. Inquire at 23 Richmond, corner of Lawrence streets.

WANTED--Second-hand furniture and stoves. Apply 31 Rock street.

WANTED--Washing and cleaning by day or hour. Address K. M., Sun office.

WANTED--Nursing, by an experienced hospital nurse, or would care for an invalid. Inquire 111 Chapel street.

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WANTED--Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

WANTED

A GOOD TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE OR RESIDENCE. BELVIDERE OR WESTFORD ST. NO STABLE. GIVE PARTICULARS, ALSO LOWEST PRICE. S, SUN OFFICE.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE--Magnificent set of furs. Long, wide stole and pillow muff, rich brown, natural Opossum. Cost $50. I will sacrifice for $12. Perfect and never worn. Address Mrs. B. R., Sun office.

FOR SALE--Ten Pullets, soon laying. 60 cents each. Address M. O., Sun office.

FOR SALE--$30 buys a beautiful cabinet. See Gordon, 219 Central street.

FOR SALE--A good hen house and hens, sold together or separate. Inquire at 509 Thorndike street.

FOR SALE--Bicycle, cheap. Pierce chainless, cushion frame, coaster brake, nearly new. Inquire 213 Dutton street.

FOR SALE--A farm in Tyngsboro, 14 acres more or less, 1 1-2 miles from carline, buildings on the place. Inquire at 46 School street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET--A cottage in Trull street, North Tewksbury, 2 1-2 acres of land. 135 Summer street, city.

FOR SALE--At a bargain, Edison Home Phonograph in good order, and also a large horn and about five dozen records; also a case that will carry four dozen, and will sell at a great bargain. Address Phonograph, Sun office.

FOR SALE--New and second-hand boxball bowling alleys. Address W. H. Wood, Manager, Canoble Lake park, Salem, N. H.

FOR SALE--Boarding house, 23 rooms. Will sell cheap on account of poor health. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE--Portuguese poodles. Geo. Wray, No. 563 School street.

FOR SALE--Furniture, will sell at a bargain if bought at once. 101 Central st.

FOR SALE CHEAP--Two pool tables. Inquire 455 Lawrence st.

FOR SALE--The largest St. Bernard dog in the city. Inquire at 130 Tenth st.

FOR SALE--A road wagon. Inquire Saturdays at 56 Franklin st., from 12 to 2 p. m., or first camp above Vesper-Country club on Boulevard.

FOR SALE--A nicely furnished lodging house centrally located. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE--A boarding and lodging house, 22 rooms and all modern conveniences. For further particulars inquire 9 Snyles st.

FOR SALE--Dry bobbin wood, 10 bushels, (5 baskets) $1.00. W. H. Parker & Sons. Telephone 1074-3, cor. Rogers and Perry sts.

VALUABLE CORNER LOT for sale containing about 4700 feet, suitable for the erection of a 9 tenement block situated by the North common. No better site for building can be found. Owner about to leave the city. Apply to C. F. Keyes, 52 Central st.

LEGAL NOTICES

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX:

Respectfully libels and represents Rikli Arkalin of Lowell, in said County; that he was married to Florence Arkalin, now of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada, at said Lowell on the eleventh day of October, A. D. 1903, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Florence Arkalin lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Lowell in said County; that the libellee in order to induce the libellant to enter into said contract of marriage falsely represented to the libellant that she was chaste and virtuous and physically competent to marry, which representations the libellant then believed to be true, but that in fact she was not chaste and virtuous and physically competent to marry, but was at that time pregnant by some other man than the libellant with a child of which she was delivered on the twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1904; that she concealed said fact from the libellant, in consequence of which false representations and concealment the libellant was induced to enter into said marriage, and that immediately upon the discovery of said fact the libellant ceased to cohabit with the libellee and has not since cohabited with her. Wherefore your libellant prays that the marriage aforesaid between himself and the said Florence Arkalin may be declared null and void, because the same was procured by said fraudulent and false representations, and by reason of said fraud so practiced upon him, and that such further relief may be granted to your libellant in the premises as to right and law may pertain.

Dated this sixth day of September, A. D. 1905.

his
Rikli X Arkalin.
mark

Witness to signature,
Eugene L. Woodbury.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss., Superior Court, September 8, A. D. 1905.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of November next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest:

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

E. H. WHITE

137 CENTRAL STREET

FOR SALE--Cottage house near Loring and Westford street; bath, hot water, furnace heat; in fine condition. $2500.

FOR SALE--Fine piece of investment property, income $5000 per year; 8 per cent. net on investment.

FOR SALE--In genteel neighborhood, a very nice lodging house. Rooms never empty, nice class of lodgers. Just the place for a man and wife to do light housekeeping and get a nice income from the rooms.

TO RENT--Cottage house. Bath, hot water. A very nice lawn. Rent $15.

HELP WANTED

WANTED--A boy to learn awning and sign business. Cross Awning and Sign Company, 209 Dutton street.

WANTED Men to distribute samples, $3 daily, steady, no canvassing. "Oliver" 196 36th street, Chicago.

WANTED--Any one can learn to draw. Why don't you? Illustrators earn large salaries. Write today for information and secure free our Employment Offer and Hints-page book. Correspondence Institute of America, Box 6e, Scranton, Penn.

WANTED--Four or five carpenters. Apply Avery Bros., 16 Thorndike street.

SALESMAN of ability can find permanent employment in local territory on Chambers' Encyclopedia and Standard Reference Works; first-class references necessary. J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, Penn.

WANTED--A boy about 15 years old at Caesar Misch's store, Central street.

WANTED An experienced kitchen girl at 42 Central street.

WANTED--A young girl or middle-aged lady to mind baby 11 months old. Apply 522 Bridge street.

WANTED--A sober experienced all-round cook at 52 John street. No others need apply.

WANTED--A respectable old or middle-aged lady to mind house while woman is at work. Inquire at Sun office.

JAPAN-RUSSIA WAR--Complete official history. Beware of canvassers. Extra terms. Outfit free. General agents wanted on salary. Ziegler Co., Philadelphia.

WANTED--A good capable man to work on farm. Apply to S. P. Pike, 528 Middlesex street, Lowell.

WANTED--A young girl in variety and confectionery store. Apply 136 Lilley avenue.

"METCALF" WANTS--Female or male help out of work to call on him and be happy.

WANTED--At once, an experienced table girl at 726 Suffolk street.

WANTED--An experienced table girl at Mrs. Wood's, 726 Suffolk street.

WANTED--A girl for general housework at 181 Westford street.

WANTED--A table girl at the Merrimac House.

BOARDERS, TOPPERS AND STANDARD KNITTERS WANTED--Piece work or standard pay. No strike. Apply to E. Refler, 23 Merrimack street, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED--A woman to assist at housework and go home nights. Apply 215 Smith street.

WANTED--Men for farm work. A. B. Adams, Chelmsford Centre.

WANTED--Men to work on farm at H. L. Shedd's garden, South Lowell. Tel. 191-3.

WANTED--A man or a boy to mow grass. $1.50 a day. A week's work or two. Cor. Main and Shawsheen streets, Tewksbury. Reading electrics. Also cranberry pickers; pay 50 cents a bushel.

WANTED--Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year, payable weekly. Expenses advanced. Address Geo. G. Clows, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED--A boy to work around place. Address D. E., Sun office.

WANTED--Experienced house girls. 434 Westford street. Employment office.

WANTED--A kitchen girl at 35 Worthen street.

WANTED--Three girls to canvass the most wonderful hose supporters ever worn. See them at No. 25 Central street.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted. 100 Appleton st.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED--First class table girls, chamber girls, cooks and kitchen girls for seashore and mountains; high wages; also a few general house girls wanted. Prescott Employment Bureau, 34 Prescott st., in the Jewelry store.

BOY WANTED

A good smart boy about 16 years of age can secure position with chance for advancement. Must be neat appearing, capable and trustworthy. Address D. L., Sun Office.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST--A small hand bag, with silver glasses and chain, between Sixth street and Central street. Call at Sun office and receive reward.

LOST--A black pocketbook, between Davis square and London street. Return to 50 Gorham street.

LOST--On Westford or Princeton road, between Chelmsford line and Broadway, bundle marked Geo. E. Leavitt, containing gentleman's clothing. Finder please leave at 475 Broadway, or at H. L. Mills, Westford road, just over the line.

LOST--A black and steel crocheted purse, between upper Merrimack street and Pawtucketville. Finder rewarded at 17 Fourth avenue.

LOST--A sum of money between Plain street and Chelmsford centre. Finder please return to 173 A street and receive reward.

FOUND--September 12, a pocketbook containing a good sum of money. The owner may have by proving the same. Apply to Smith Bros., 145 Liberty street.

LOST--Small brindle bull dog, four white feet, white stripe on forehead, short tail. Reward at 131 Cabot street. C. Williams.

LOST--Small hand bag between Tremont street and Lakeview avenue. Leave at this office.

LOST--A class pin with initials G. S. G., 1903; Nile green; between Watson avenue and Westford street, or on Grand street. Reward at 1 Watson avenue.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

REMNANTS--Seconds and perfect goods. Special sale balance of September on certain lines of green, brown, black and grey goods. Ladies' suitings, cloth for boys' and girls' suits, covert cloth, broadcloth, etc. Children's suits made to order. Merrimack Remnant dept., near 1024 Lakeview avenue. Leave car at Bachman and Sladen streets, (city line.)

NOTICE--This is to notify the public that I, George Lolas, have purchased the grocery store of Thomas Psaltes, at 456 Market street. All persons having bills against this firm should send them to Thomas Psaltes before next Saturday.

OUR SPECIAL PRESENT for this week is a large size, grey enamelled cooking kettle with a pound of Tea or two pounds of Coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 65 Merrimack street.

HAND WORK laundry. All work guaranteed to be first-class and done at short notice. We also clean and press clothing at 549 Middlesex street. George King, proprietor.

MISS L. VIVIAN PRESSY, piano teacher, 127 Stackpole street.

MISS LUDWIN BERNIER, pianoforte teacher, 1 Jewett avenue.

CHIMNEYS swept out from top to bottom with steel brushes, and an iron door set in the bottom. All for $2.50 per chimney. Smith Bros., residence and place of business, 115 Liberty street. Tel. 1593-2.

WE ARE THE well known chimney builders. We make a specialty of building and repairing chimneys of all kinds with Portland Cement Mortar, warranted to wear from 25 to 35 years. We use no nails with our patent singling, therefore, creates no leaks in your roof. Mail orders promptly attended to. Residence and place of business 115 Liberty st. Tel. 1593-2. Smith Brothers.

ALBERT DEAN, slater, tiler and tin metal roofer, chimneys repaired, estimates free. Inquire 13 Bradford st.

WANTED--Ten men with bad shaped heads to call at Delorme's the Hatter and he will fit the head perfect with a stylish hat at 261 Middlesex st. Delorme, Practical Hatter. Repairing a specialty.

LOWELL SWIMMING POOL 501 Pawtucket street, foot of Rolfe, is now open to the public. Take Broadway cars.

PRESCOTT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU--Reliable help of all kinds wanted and furnished. Mill, farm, domestic, beach and mountain hotel help a specialty. 34 Prescott st., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 893-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON--The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

A NURSE trained in maternity hospital, especially for confinement cases. Highest medical references, terms moderate. Mrs. Battile, Maternity Nurse, 24 Third street.

DON'T FAIL to see Zo-Zo, the dog-face calf at the Lowell fair.

MME. WATSON EMERSON--Clairvoyant; psychological readings and instruction in elocution and physical culture. Hours, 9 to 12, 1 to 5, 7 to 9.30; 474 Central street.

GORDON & BLOOD--Sheet Metal Workers, Furnace and Stove Repairs, Cornices, Skylights, Gutters, etc. 52 Palmer st. Tel. 897-2.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham st., trance medium and card reader.

CHIROPODIST--C. M. Saunders, 90 Prescott st. Open Mon. Tues. and Sat. evenings.

MRS. C. ADAMS--Clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' parlor employment office at 352 Central st.

REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.--Will paper your room, furnishing paper, and border to match the same, including the hanging for $2.00; special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc., first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Racket), 303 Middlesex st.

MONEY--The best place in the city to borrow money is from the U. S. Loan Co., 50 Prescott st.

CHIMNEYS repaired at short notice with Portland cement, mortar, also slate roofs repaired. Smith Brothers, residence 145 Liberty street. Tel. 1593-2.

NOW IS THE TIME to bring in your Panama hats and have them cleaned. We have all the latest shapes in stiff hats. We will give a hat cleaner free with every purchase of a hat at J. Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The famous hatter.

THE WONDERFUL DRINK GLORIA, gives youthful vigor, and a day of new life in every drink. Boyle Bros., Telephone.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS should order "The Chase Lock Hinge" for blinds direct from factory at a liberal discount. Box 150, Waltham.

PILES, HEMORRHOIDS--Rectal trouble sufferers, I am no free sample deposit or C. O. D. fakir. I was positively cured years standing. Have cured hundreds severe cases by the formula of a specialist of highest standing. Formula--Advice 50 cts. Treatment inexpensive. M. Adams, 220 A. Pearl st., Somerville, Mass.

GENERAL REPAIRING, tenements specially. 1 Charles Court, off Charles st. 2 flights up.

MIRACLE. The great German rust exterminator. Takes the rust off lawn mowers, cutlery, in fact everything, without labor. Once used always used. For sale by all leading hardware houses. Price 25 cents. Hugo Hill, Manufacturer.

MOTHERS--Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair, harmless, 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

LADIES--Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG--Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 112½ Bridge street. Telephone.

HALL TO LET

A fine hall 30x41½ feet, with large ante-rooms, closets, etc., in the Harrington building, 52 Central street. Inquire at The Sun Office.

INFORMATION WANTED

NOTICE — DIVORCES

Strictly private advice and book free. Short wait, prompt, efficient, references everywhere, success in all counties in Massachusetts, lowest fee, easily paid. Our only office. Lawyer, 47 Court st., Room 11, Boston Mass.

TO LET

TO LET--At 52 Fay street, cottage of seven rooms, excellent repair. Inquire opposite, or 18 Burns street.

TO LET Lodging house of 22 rooms in good order. Rent $25 a month. Apply 465 Central street.

TO LET--Elegant house of ten rooms. Hot and cold water, bath, gas, air furnace heat, in Belvidere. Rent low. Apply 408 Central street.

TO LET--Two floors of a large building, suitable for light manufacturing purposes in a good location. Rent low. Apply 48 Central street.

TO LET--Tenement of 5 rooms, situated at 6 Franklin court. This tenement is the same as a cottage house, convenient for small family. Apply on premises.

TO LET--A nice six-room tenement on Merrill street. Apply 434 Lawrence street.

TO LET--Tenement of five rooms, pantry, bath, hot water and shed. Small family. 30 Second avenue, Pawtucketville.

TO LET--House of seven rooms, steam heat, all modern improvements. Inquire 112 Walker street.

TO LET A nice sunny front room. 403 Central street.

TO LET--A six-room tenement and bath, hot and cold water. In good neighborhood. Inquire at 32 Philips street.

TO LET--A house of twelve rooms in good locality, corner of Seventh and Methuen streets. They can also secure all the carpets and window shades they desire, all in good order and will be sold at a great bargain. In use less than one year. Inquire at 54 Seventh street.

TO LET--Tenement of seven rooms on Lawson street. Inquire at 61 Queen street.

TO LET--Five-room cottage in Pawtucketville. Apply 47 Davis street, Pawtucketville.

TO LET--Tenements at 688 Lakeview avenue. Inquire of M. D. Chemevert, 3 Aiken street.

TO LET--A nice tenement of 9 rooms at 426 Chelmsford street.

TO LET--In Pawtucketville, attractive six-room tenement in thorough repair. Bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing. Pleasantly located. Two car lines. Apply 89 Varnum avenue.

TO LET--Two 8-room cottages, hot and cold water and bath room. Inquire at 129 Bowden street.

OFFICE TO RENT--Best location in the city. Frank J. Green, real estate and auctioneer, 98 Central street.

TO LET--House of ten rooms, bath, pantry, hot and cold water, furnace heat, situated at corner of Fort Hill avenue and Andover street. Inquire at 9 Fort Hill avenue.

TO LET--Nicely furnished rooms with bath, $2, $2.50, and $3. 166 Mt. Vernon st.

ROOMS with or without board at 93 John st., Bodt corp.

TO LET--One half of double house, modern improvements, 43 Royal st. Apply at 85 Sherman st.

TO LET--Tenement of 7 rooms, bath, hot water. Inquire 470 Rogers st.

TO LET--Tenement of six rooms and bath, 9 Westford st. G. D. Kimball, 64 Central st.

ROOMS TO LET suitable for a wheelwright or for light manufacturing. W. K. Aldrich, 587 Dutton st.

TO LET--At Lakeview Terrace furnished rooms, gentlemen preferred. Apply on premises. Mrs. Pratt.

ROOM WITH POWER to let in card building, Shattuck st. Wm. E. Badger, Locks & Canals office.

TO LET--Corner Windsor & Westford streets, two six room flats, all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 43 Fletcher st. Tel. 911-2.

SUMMER RESORTS

NAHANT BEACH--Newly furnished rooms by the day or week. 12-14 Suffolk st. F. L. Dwyer.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT--Plenty of money to loan to permanent salaried people on easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city (confidential) no publicity, no delay, special inducements for quick payments. Private office. Offices in Lowell and Lawrence. U. S. Loan Co., 50 Prescott st.

$5, $10, $15--Emergency loans for "tight" places quickly secured at the best place in Lowell. T. H. Kelley's, 392 Middlesex st.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack Loan Co., Associate Building.

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 50 leading cities. Tolman, room 43 Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central st.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, room 9, Barristers' Hall.

SOMETIMES

Everyone wants money, no matter how saving a person may be one cannot foresee everything. We give the money so cheap and make the repayments so easy that it helps over a rough place in life's pathway without a jar.

CASH LOANS TO ANYONE with a salary. No security asked; a plain note is all we require.

KELLEY, the Money Lender.
332 Middlesex st.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED--Middle-aged Protestant woman would help with housework or take care of child. Address M., 55 Massachusetts corporation.

EXPERIENCED BAR PORTER wants situation. Good reference. Address D. J., Sun office.

MIDDLE AGED LADY wants work in small family. Would take care of one child. Inquire at 53 Chestnut street, middle bell.

WANTED--Position as stenographer or bookkeeper, some experience. Address M. R., Westford, Mass., R. F. D.

IT Deserves It. . . .

The Sun occupies the highest position in local journalism. It leads in everything. Everyone admits it to be

Lowell's Greatest Newspaper.

CALL TO VOTERS

Republican Machine Gets a Rap

BOSTON, Sept. 16. The Massachusetts committee of 100 on reciprocal trade, which is composed chiefly of republicans, issued today a call to republican voters to join with them in their request for the adoption of a plank in the platform of the coming republican state convention, favoring a revision of the tariff. Republican voters are asked to forward a petition to the convention to insert the following in the platform, as well as to nominate candidates whose views are in harmony with the sentiment expressed:

"We demand that hides, coal, iron ore, lumber and wood pulp be placed by congress on the free list and that duties upon manufactured and other articles be reduced wherever existing duties are higher than are needed for any purpose of protection."

The committee declares that the extreme protectionist interests have so far influenced the "Machine" of the republican party of the state that it does not intend to have expression given to the tariff revision sentiment, but instead, to suppress at the convention any genuine declaration in favor of it and to nominate one or more candidates hostile to the policy.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

HOUSE BURNED

Lexington Family Had Narrow Escape

LEXINGTON, Mass., Sept. 16. The family of Morris F. Conley, a prominent horticulturist, narrowly escaped being burned to death by a fire which destroyed their home early today. The fire started in a nearby barn and the flames, which communicated to the house, spread so rapidly that Mr. and Mrs. Conley, with their children, were compelled to flee from the house in their night clothing in order to escape the flames. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is $4,500; covered by insurance.

W. C. T. U.

The annual convention of the Middlesex County Woman's Christian Temperance union was held in the Congregational church, Wakefield, Thursday, September 14. The day was an ideal autumn day, and the town of Wakefield a very attractive place. The church in which the convention met is a large stone edifice, beautiful without and within. The Congregationalists of Lowell cannot boast of such a building. Three of the Lowell delegates were present. A very cordial welcome was given by the local union to all the delegates of which there was a large number from the various towns. Mrs. Abbie F. Rolfe of Concord, the president, presided as she has for many years with ability and tact. Rev. Guy C. Robbins opened the exercises with prayer. Greeting by Mrs. Thomas Martin, president of the local union. Response by Miss Gowing. The secretary's report for the year was read, after which the president gave one of her usual interesting and earnest addresses. Then came reports of the various departments of work. The noontide hour of prayer was led by Mrs. Martin. The audience was then invited to the vestry to partake of a very tasty lunch served by the Natural Food company of Niagara Falls, N. Y. J. W. Higbee, agent of the company, dined with the convention and gave a very glowing account of the good work the company was doing for the world.

The afternoon exercises were opened by the president. The treasurer's annual report was then given, and the role of delegates called. Election of county officers resulted in the choice of Mrs. Abbie F. Rolfe president, Mrs. J. W. Sage secretary, Mrs. Alfred Boynton treasurer. A beautiful solo was given by a young lady. Then a very interesting address by Mrs. Janette Hill Knox, the state corresponding secretary.

The convention was closed by the singing of the hymn, "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds," and benediction by Rev. Robert Polhamas. These united gatherings of workers pay, in the inspiration gained from one another.

BRAVE TEACHER

Marched Pupils From Burning Building

LACONIA, N. H., Sept. 16. Heroism on the part of Miss Rosette Burke, a teacher, who carried a crippled child safely to the street, and calmness among the other teachers, also prevented a harvest of death or injury during a fire which did $7000 damage to the Mechanic school here yesterday.

The fire started near the furnace in the basement and was probably caused by a spark falling into a pile of waste paper. The building is built of wood and the fire rapidly burned up through the two upper floors, but the dense smoke gave the teachers ample warning.

The 200 pupils were quickly assembled and marched into the street, repeated assurances that they were in no danger preventing them from rushing for the exit.

Lulu White, 12, and a cripple, was on the second floor when the flames broke out, and her teacher, Miss Rosette Burke, carried the child to the street.

A boy, name unknown, fearing that he would be cut off by the flames, jumped from a second-story window, but escaped uninjured.

The flames burned up through the centre of the building and the foundations of a cupola which surmounted the structure were burned away, allowing it to fall into the building.

BOMBS FOUND

AMONG CARGO OF A BRITISH STEAMER.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Sept. 16.—Divers have arrived at Jakobstad to thoroughly examine the wreck of the British steamer John Grafton (which was sunk by her crew Sept. 10, after landing a portion of her cargo of arms and ammunition on a barren island in the Gulf of Bothnia). Among the steamer's saved cargo, boxes of bombs and explosives have been found besides the rifles already reported. The investigations of the authorities have thus far failed to throw any light on the incident.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles Parthenais of Spaulding street has returned from a very enjoyable vacation.

Mrs. Cyrille Hebert with her son Cyrille Hebert of St. Paul are the guests of Miss A. Seigneurie of this city. Mrs. Hebert was a former resident of Lowell.

Moise L. Daigle of Dracut has gone on an extensive Canadian tour.

Charles Miller and wife of Lowell are the guests of relatives in Haverhill for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Cross of Lowell, former residents of Manchester, have returned to the Queen City and will reside there in the future.

Miss Mildred McMahon has gone to Norwich, Conn., for two weeks as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Carpenter.

Recent guests at the Brown Square hotel, Newburyport, were Messrs. John Mahar and Benjamin Wilkins, Miss Ella Legare and Miss Rose P. Grounder.

Henry O. Brooks has recently been calling on friends in Old Town, Me.

Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Carver accompanied by their two children, Pauline and Clyde, have returned from Dexter, Me., where the children have been living with relatives for several years.

Mrs. William Roberts has recently visited with her sister, Mrs. D. G. Roberts of Skowhegan, Me.

George W. Healey, who for the past year and a half has been embalmer for John H. Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y., has been granted an undertaker's license by the board of health, to do business in this city.

Rev. Ralph Gillam was in the city on Thursday.

Miss Sarah Foster of Chelmsford is spending two weeks in Centre Harbor, N. H.

Miss Ruth Crowell has been visiting at the residence of her uncle, Charles A. Steele of Hudson Centre, N. H. During her stay, in company with her cousin, Miss Myra Steele, a visit was made with the family of Charles W. Spaulding, of Hudson Bridge, N. H.

Miss Delia Thompson has recently visited with her sister, Miss Ida Thompson at the home of A. H. Woorthley, Bristol, N. H.

Dr. J. A. Lapointe of Biddeford, Me., has had as a recent guest, Mr. Arthur Grieward of Lowell.

W. L. Jones has paid a recent visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones of Denmark, Me.

Mrs. Ellen M. Spaulding is spending her vacation in Augusta, Me.

Mrs. Armine Hassett has recently visited relatives in East Rochester N. H.

Miss Margaret MacDougal of Centralville has gone on a visit to Ontario, where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. A. MacDougal.

Mrs. Effie A. Turner of Norwood, Mass., with her daughter, Mrs. J. Frank Adams of Watertown, spent a few days this week with their cousin, Mrs. George E. Dickey of Tyngsboro.

Mrs. William Morris and Miss Connie Cass are visiting in Manchester, N. H., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivory S. York.

Miss Gertrude M. Macdonald is visiting relatives at Newport, R. I.

Gates M. Coburn, with Arthur Morton and Fred Childs of New York, will leave next week for the Mediterranean. After a short tour of the continent Mr. Coburn will sail from Naples for India and Ceylon en route to Australia, returning via Honolulu and San Francisco in the early spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald are rejoicing over the arrival of a 12-pound baby boy at their home in Cumberland road.

Thos. P. Sheehan and wife of Windsor street have gone to Vermont for two weeks.

SUNDAY SERVICES

TO BE HELD AT THE DIFFERENT LOCAL CHURCHES.

BAPTIST

Branch Street, Middlesex st. at entering junction of Branch and Middlesex st. Rev. [illegible] Ellis pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45, evening service at 6.45.

Morning "The Christian." Evening "Why I am a Baptist."

[illegible] Street Freewill, Chelmsford st., cor. [illegible] Rev. Albert [illegible] Kenyon pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at noon.

Morning, sermon by the pastor. Evening, Praise service.

Fifth Street, West Fifth street. Rev. H. Grattan Deckrell pastor. 31 May street. Morning service at 10.30, Bible school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

Morning, 10.30, subject, "The Vision of God." Evening 6.30 "A Politician Converted." You are invited to come.

Mt. Vernon Free Baptist, Mt. Vernon cor. Butterfield st. Rev. F. E. Carver, pastor.

Immanuel, Blossom st. Rev. Robert E. True, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Y.P.S.C.E. at 5.30, evening service at 6.30. First, George st., cor. Church st. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12. Junior Young People's society at 5.15, evening service at 6.30.

Morning "The Great Church Builder." Evening "The Danger of Slighting God's Invitation." Special Evangelistic singing.

First Freewill, Paige st. Rev. D. B. Martin pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service 6.30.

French Baptist Church, Lowell st., cor. West Sixth, Rev. Isaac La Fleur, pastor.

North Tewksbury Baptist—Rev. C. L. Pierce, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Evening at 6.30.

Worthen Street. Rev. Arthur P. Wedge, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, evening service at 6.30, C. E. meeting 5.15.

Morning "The Business of Christianity." Evening—"Bethesda."

North Billerica—Chester H. Howe, pastor; morning service at 10.45, Sunday school, 12.10; Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30; evening service at 7.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Gospel: St. Matthew vi, 24-33.

St. Patrick's. Masses will be sung in the basement at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. The 10 o'clock mass will be exclusively for the children, while the 11 o'clock mass will replace the usual high mass.

St. Peter's—Gorham st. Rev. Michael Ronan, rector. First mass at 6, second mass at 7, third mass at 8 (new church), children's mass at 9 (old church, fourth mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 7.

St. Michael's—Sixth st. Rev. John J. Shaw, pastor. First mass at 6.30, children's mass at 8.15, second mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 1.30, vespers at 3.

Immaculate Conception (Oblate Fathers) East Merrimack st. between Brown and High. Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O.M.I., pastor. First mass at 6, second mass at 7.30, children's mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 6.30.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Oblate Fathers), Moore st., opp. Andrews st., Rev. John P. Reynolds, O.M.I., pastor. First mass at 6, children's mass at 8, second mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 6.30.

St. Jean Baptiste (Oblate Fathers), Merrimack st., cor. Aiken, Rev. Joseph Mangin, O.M.I., rector. First mass at 7, children's mass at 8.30, high mass with sermon at 10, vespers at 6.30.

St. Joseph's (Oblate Fathers), Lee st. Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., rector. First mass at 7, second mass at 8.30, high mass and sermon at 10, vespers at 3.

St. Louis—West Sixth st., Rev. J. N. Jacques, rector. First mass at 7, second mass at 8.30, high mass and sermon at 10, vespers at 3.

St. Anthony's (Portuguese) Gorham st., cor. Congress. Rev. Joaquin V. Rosa, pastor. First mass at 7.30, second mass at 9, and high mass and sermon at 10.30, vespers at 3.30. Sunday at 3.30 Holy Hour of Adoration.

Church of the Holy Trinity (Polish) High st.—First mass at 8, high mass and sermon at 10.30, vespers at 4.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Eliot—Summer st., cor. Favor. Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor. Rev. J. M. Greene, D. D., pastor emeritus. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.

Morning—"The Heart's Heaven." Evening—"The Saviour at the Door."

Evangelical—Tyngsboro, Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, pastor. Morning service at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.30, evening service at 7.

First—Merrimack st. opp. public library. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E., at 5.16, evening at 6.30.

Rev. Dr. Baird will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

First Trinitarian—Dutton st., cor. Music Hall av. Rev. Geo. F. Kenngott, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

Morning—"The Supreme Test." Evening "A Vision of Two Worlds."

French, Bowers st., cor. Fletcher. Rev. T. G. A. Cote, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

High Street, East Merrimack st., cor. High. Rev. A. W. Hunting[illegible], D. D. [illegible]. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15, evening service at 7.

Morning, sermon by the pastor. Evening, Mr. [illegible] will speak of the work of the Hospital [illegible].

[illegible] W[illegible] st., cor. [illegible] Rev. [illegible] Wallis, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, sermon at [illegible] Sunday school at 12, evening at 6.30. Preaching morning and evening by Prof. W. [illegible] of Andover Theological Seminary.

Kirk Street, Kirk st., opp. French, Rev. Geo. F. [illegible], D. D., pastor.

[illegible] Rev. J. A. McKnight, [illegible] at 10.30; Sunday school and prayer [illegible] at 12, Y.P.S.C.E., at 6.15, evening service at 7.

Morning "Giving by Giving." Evening, C. E. at 6.15, followed by lecture by the pastor.

Central Congregational church, Chelmsford, Rev. A. F. Earnshaw, pastor.

Centre Dracut. Morning service at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

Pawtucket, Pawtucket sq. Rev. Edwin R. Smith, minister. Morning worship at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E. [illegible]

Pelham Church Rev. J. T. Hoyle, pastor. Preaching at 10.45, Sunday school 12.

Second Congregational church, North Chelmsford, Rev. D. A. Hudson, pastor.

Swedish, Lundon st., Rev. E. A. Lindholm pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

EPISCOPAL.

St. Anne's, corner Kirk and Merrimack sts., Rev. A. St. John Chambre, D. D., rector.

Holy Communion at 7.45 a. m.; full service and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7 o'clock; Sunday school, 12.

St. John's, Gorham st. near court house, Rev. Leander C. Manchester, rector. Morning service at 10.30; Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30. Communion first and third Sundays and on the greater festivals.

All Saints, Chelmsford. Services and sermon at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7, Holy Communion at 10, first Sunday in the month 10.45.

LUTHERAN.

Swedish, Meadowcroft st., near Moore. Rev. P. E. Asley, pastor, Sunday school at 9, morning service at 10.30, evening service at 7.

METHODIST.

Centralville M. E.—Corner of Bridge and Hildreth sts., Rev. Geo. Whitaker, pastor—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 6.45 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Epworth league at 6 p. m.

Morning "Jesus, the Priest." Evening "Eternity."

Central Methodist, corner Paige and John sts., Rev. W. W. Sneak, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12m.; Junior League at 4 p. m.; Epworth League, 5.30; preaching at 6.30; French service at 2.30 p. m., Rev. E. D. Luplen in charge.

Morning—"The Fulfilling Christ." Evening—"Our Walk With God a Hidden Way."

First Primitive, Gorham st., cor. Ellsworth, Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday Morning—"A Loose End Versus Tied Down." Evening—"A Contrast in Conquest."

First Swedish, Moore st., cor. Bourne, Rev. Oscar W. Johnson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, evening service at 6.30.

Berean Primitive Methodist, Rev. Harrold Markham, pastor.

Morning—Preaching, subject: "Called to Service." Sunday school, 12 m. Preaching, subject: "Hindrances, Their Help."

Highland, Loring st., cor. Grove, Rev. B. F. Kingsley, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

St. Paul's, Junction of Hurd and Warren sts., Rev. Geo. B. Dunn, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school and Bible class at 12, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—"Mary's Significant Request." Evening—"The Principal Thing in Life." the pastor's Bible class for men over 16 years of age meets in the auditorium at the close of morning's service.

Worthen Street. Rev. E. P. Herrick, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 5.30, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—Sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. P. Herrick. Subject "The Test of Love." Evening People's service.

MINISTRY AT-LARGE

Free Church, Middlesex street, near South, Rev. George C. Wright, minister. Morning "The Deepest Law of Every Man's Life."

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Appleton st., cor. Davis, Rev. James M. Craig, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening at 7. Morning "Rest." Evening "Encouragement."

Westminster United Presbyterian, Tyler street, Rev. A. P. Gibson, pastor. Services 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning "Bread Upon the Waters." Evening, "The Summer Ended."

UNITARIAN

First, Merrimack st., opp. John, Rev. Chas. T. Billings, pastor. Regular morning service at 10.45, Sunday school after morning service.

Morning "The Home Beautiful."

Chelmsford Centre Unitarian Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Young people's guild at 7.

UNIVERSALIST

First, Hurd st., Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Y.P.C.U. at 6.

Morning "The One Way to Be Saved."

Grace, Princeton st., cor. Booth. Canton, Rev. Ransom A. Greene, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12. Morning, "Above All Price." Sunday school at 12.15 p. m. Communion at 5 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. U. at 6.

BRIDEGROOM

FAILED TO APPEAR FOR THE WEDDING.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 16.—For the second time Miss Katharine Brett, aged 22, yesterday was deserted at the altar. Two years ago she was to have been married to Alexander Sem, who left on the morning of the wedding day, sending her a note that he had a wife in Jersey City.

Recently she was wooed by John Ryan, son of a retired slate operator. The wedding was fixed for yesterday, St. Lawrence's church was filled with guests and the bride and her attendants were at the altar, when the priest, the Rev. Peter Quinn, made the announcement that owing to the nonappearance of the bridegroom there would not be any wedding. The bride and her family were invited into the rectory, where Mr. Ryan's mother was waiting to inform them that she opposed the wedding and had induced her son to stay away. Miss Brett tore up her gown and collapsed. She is delirious and is in charge of Dr. A. J. Becker.

FINE CONCERT.

A very large and appreciative audience attended the concert given by the Columbia Graphophone company in its store, 53 Central street. The selections were from many celebrated artists, numbers from celebrated orchestras and brass bands. The entire concert was a great success and after the concert was over the management received a large number of orders, which only goes to show the popularity of these music machines.

NOTICE OF PRIMARIES

September, 26, 1905

CITY OF LOWELL.

City Clerk's Office, Sept. 16, 1905.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Sections 212 and 213 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws, and Chapter 454, of the Acts of 1903, that Primary meetings of the voters of the political parties (Democratic and Republican) in the City of Lowell, for the State Election of 1905, will be held Tuesday, the 26th day of September current, in the several precincts of the different wards as follows, to wit:

Precinct **Ward One.**

1 Booth, Elliot street, cor. Middlesex street.
2 Store 311 Market street, Gates Block.
3—Booth, Flat street, cor. Bridge street.

Precinct **Ward Two.**

1 Booth, Tremont street, cor. Merrimack street.
2—Booth, Broadway, at Mann school.
3—Booth, North Common, opp. Morrill school.

Precinct **Ward Three.**

1—Booth, Rock street, cor. Willie street.
2 Ward Room, Engine House, Branch street.
3—Booth, Junction of Middlesex, Branch and Dover streets.

Precinct **Ward Four.**

1—Booth, Highland street, cor. Thorndike street.
2—Booth, Gorham street, cor. Congress street.
3—Ward Room, Lyon street.

Precinct **Ward Five.**

1—Booth, George street, cor. Church street.
2 Booth, Hosford square, Central street.
3—Booth, Chestnut street, cor. Fayette street.

Precinct **Ward Six.**

1—Booth, Bridge street, between 10th and 11th streets.
2—Store, No. 446 Bridge street, between West 4th and West 5th streets.
3—Booth, Lakeview avenue, near Aiken street.

Precinct **Ward Seven.**

1—Ward Room, Engine House, Fletcher street.
2—Booth, Willie street, at Lighting Station.
3—Booth, Riverside street, cor. Mammoth road.

Precinct **Ward Eight.**

1—Booth, Chester street, cor. Westford street.
2—Booth, Smith street, cor. Shaw street.
3—Booth, Lincoln street, near Quebec street.

Precinct **Ward Nine.**

1—Ward Room, Engine House, High street.
2—Booth, Fort Hill avenue, cor. Rogers street.
3—Booth, Moore street, near Gorham street.

The polls to be opened at 12 o'clock m. and closed at 9 o'clock p. m.

Then and there to give in their votes on their respective party ballots for the election of delegates to the Democratic and Republican conventions as follows:—State; Councillor, Sixth District; County; In wards 5 and 9, Sixth Middlesex Senatorial District; In wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8, Seventh Middlesex Senatorial District; In wards 4, 7 and 8, Twenty-fifth Middlesex Representative District; In wards 5 and 9, Twenty-seventh Middlesex Representative district; also in wards 1, 2, 3 and 6, for direct nomination of candidates for election to the General Court from the Twenty-sixth Middlesex Representative District.

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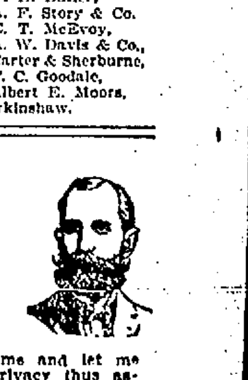

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☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

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FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

DRIVE THE GRAFTERS TO THE REAR

The art of grafting has not attained the alarming stage in Lowell that is reported from some other cities; but yet it is a growing evil that must be grappled with and effectually eradicated. When there is wilful waste and needless extravagance in any department it is due to grafting; when the city does not get a dollar's worth in labor or material for every dollar expended, then grafting may be assigned as the unmistakable cause. When any citizen comes to realize that the city is being cheated, he has a right to complain and to call a halt to official grafting. The citizens look to the mayor and city council to keep the grafters at bay; but when it comes to be a recognized fact that most members of the city council will vote for a measure detrimental to the city's interests if paid for so doing, what is the remedy? What, but to send men of a different stripe to the city council. It would be well also to send a few grafters to jail just as a warning to others, but the proof is sometimes hard to procure and very few want to have a hand in bringing the offenders to justice. Clear the city council of grafters and that body can then be relied upon to banish grafting from the various municipal departments.

If the grafters get a hold on the city departments, it will take ten years to drive them out. Therefore, make up your minds now to drive the grafters to the rear.

Lieutenant Peary is now approaching the north pole and it is hoped that he will succeed in finding the evasive spot before he returns. There are some people who, if Peary finds the pole, are wondering what on earth is he going to do with it? Will he bring it home or will he raise the American flag on it?

The republican city committee has come in for a great deal of criticism on account of the open manner in which they solicit contributions from candidates for office; but we are inclined to believe that the course of the committee is perfectly proper. It is impossible to run a campaign of any kind without a reasonable amount of money to pay legitimate expenses, and the candidates for office who are most interested should in all fairness foot the bills. If the law prevents the assessing of candidates it certainly does not make it an offense for candidates to make voluntary offerings to pay legitimate campaign expenses.

The democratic city committee is also justified in obliging every candidate to pay a reasonable amount in order that the campaigns may be conducted properly, and all legitimate bills paid at the end of each contest.

THE CLOVEN HOOF.

It is really amusing to witness the antics of Tom Lawson in showing up the schemers in the domain of high finance. Tom is telling a great deal of truth, nevertheless, and his screeds may result in some good, but we never had much confidence in Tom as a protector of financial morals. He reminds us too much of Satan rebuking sin. He may be working for revenge or he may be making restitution to the public as the result of an awakened conscience but the cloven hoof is there and we would not be at all surprised to see Tom turning a handsome sum as the result of his assaults upon the promoters of frenzied finance. Tom will bear watching all the time.

DISTRIBUTE THE IMMIGRANTS.

It is a great pity that some system is not adopted whereby immigrants arriving at our large seaports could ascertain where they would be most likely to get employment and the benefits of better living, which is their main purpose in coming to America. While these ambitious people are huddled together in the larger cities in idleness there is a dearth of laborers in various parts of the country. The south is clamoring for farm hands to till the soil and gather the crops and is offering inducements of the most promising kind to permanent settlers. In the west they report a scarcity of farm help and still the majority of the immigrants who come to this country are competent farmers who might with very little effort secure good homes for themselves and be a benefit to the nation instead of trying to eke out a living in the slums of the larger cities where a large proportion of them through enforced idleness find their way into the pauper institutions. Here is an opportunity for some philanthropic society, or even congress to remedy the evil. Any able bodied, well disposed man who comes to this country anxious to earn his living should have some means of knowing where he can best locate. In this way he would not add to the evils of immigration which are so often complained of.

INSURANCE SHOULD INSURE.

Every cloud has a silver lining. The cloud which hung over the Equitable Life Insurance Company has turned out to be after all a benefit to the policy holders of the country. The investigation of the Equitable led to the investigation of several other large insurance companies, and the discoveries already made are little less than startling. They all appear to be tarred with the same stick, and no doubt something will be done to regulate the investments and management of the large insurance companies. A life insurance policy should be protected by all the power of the government. It oftentimes constitutes the main dependence of a family, and every safeguard that can be thrown about the insurance business will be welcomed by the general public. Insurance that does not insure is worthless. The investments of an insurance company should be as closely scrutinized as those of a savings bank. We are glad to note that there is a strong sentiment in favor of putting every insurance company in the country on a safe and sound financial basis.

The salaries of these companies are altogether too high and the investments which are frequently made by deceptive methods have too much of the element of risk to be justifiable. All these evils no doubt will be remedied, and life insurance which is at present under a cloud will become a more popular and more reliable investment for those who have families dependent upon them.

SEEN AND HEARD

A pigeon perched on a wing of the golden eagle at city hall attracted a deal of attention yesterday forenoon.

A High school boy, a foot ball player and athlete, wearing his sister's dress stockings and patent leather slippers, was one of the attractions in Merrimack square Friday afternoon.

The places of amusement in the United States will soon hear of the "frap frog" railway, an exciting amusement which Londoners are now enjoying, and which has caused considerable comment.

The railway consists of a track about 500 feet long. As the two cars coming in opposite directions are nearing each other and the passengers are in a state of trepidation, a collision is averted by a series of guides leading up to a set of rails which pass over the roof of each car, and induces one car to override the other, landing it safely on the rails at the other side.

For the participator in the high speed leap, it is a breathless moment, and it is probable that next year will see the "frap frog" railway in the United States, where it will doubtless prove a successful attraction at some seaside resort.

I'll bear it like a czar, nor curse
Nor hang my luck as it deserves—
Bad as it is it ain't so worse,
And Fate is kind unto my nerves,
Though mobs in Petersburg annoy
Me now and then with warlike show,
I'll bear it bravely for, O Joy,
They're rioting in Tokio!

Let Nihilists by Neva's flood
Brew bombs of nitro-glycerine;
Let Kishinef be washed in blood
And Warsaw make a gory scene—
Distressing to a czar, perhaps,
But I can stand it when I know
Those irritating little Japs
Are rioting in Tokio.

Did some one heave a brick just then?
I laugh ha, ha! I do not care.
Are Cossacks not arresting men
For hiding fireworks on my stair?
Well, let the boys enjoy their fun—
I can't condemn them when I know
The children of the Rising Sun
Are rioting in Tokio.

"Men are so stupid!" she complained to her friend, as he turned back to walk with her. "They have no discrimination. Just now, as I came 'round the corner, I slipped and fell. I picked myself up and slunk away, almost praying that no one had seen me, when a man came up to me, raised his hat, and in a most sympathetic voice said: 'Beg pardon, but here is your handkerchief.' Did you ever hear of anything more inconsiderate?"

Her companion looked puzzled.

"Didn't you want him to pick it up?" he asked.

"Most certainly not, under the circumstances," was the emphatic reply.

"But how is a man to know," was the bewildered question, "what you women want? I guarantee that every man I know would pick up the handkerchief in such a case, under the impression that he was being of service to the girl."

"Yes, I know he would! And I guarantee that every girl I know would rather lose the finest handkerchief she possesses than have any one see her when she has fallen—it's the one time she wants to be ignored."

The machine that lies idle is far more liable to injury than the machine that runs.

Air and dampness do more damage than wear and tear. Let the machine remain inactive a while and the coating formed by the corrosion soon covers the bright metal and the parts become stiff and cranky.

A man neglects the working parts of his body. Normally these parts should be exercised. He indulges his members in idleness. Whatever vitality and working force they may have had when in continued use, neglect causes the machinery to run stiffly. It is the rust.

A man may neglect to exercise his working brain forces. He may have ever so quick a mind, but if he does not use his mental machinery the rust of idleness is soon over it.

A man may neglect to use the moral forces that are in him. There is a weakening somewhere. The machine lets down. And soon the parts are rusted.

When the primary or the convention or the ballot-box-working parts of government—are neglected the rust collects. The machinery works poorly. It may break down.

Keep your body working without friction by systematic exercise.

Keep your mind bright by using it.

Keep your soul clean by working it.

And so for society—nine-tenths of its evils are caused by the idleness of its necessary working parts.

NORTH BILLERICA

A gang of men will be put to work Monday morning macadamizing the roadway from the Talbot mills storehouse as far as the Faulkner Mfg Co.'s office. The amount appropriated by the town for the work is $1500. It is expected that the work can be done for less than the amount appropriated and in that event what is left will be spent for the macadamizing of Wilson street.

A meeting of the democratic town committee will be held in the engine room at Union hall next Thursday evening. The committee has not met nor organized since it was chosen at the caucus in Billerica Centre last fall. John R. Conway was chairman of the 1904 committee and as no presiding officer has been elected for this year, he has called a meeting to be held on the date mentioned above.

Chairman Charles H. Kolrausch of the board of selectmen has gone to his farm in Sutton, N. H., for a brief vacation. He is expected to return next Tuesday.

Many of the farmers from this part of the town attended the opening exercises of the Middlesex North fair at the fair grounds, Lowell, Thursday. Several of them have exhibits there and it is needless to say that they are all good ones.

PLEASANT PARTY.

Last Thursday evening a very pleasant surprise party was given to Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Lindholm at the London street church. A very pretty program was given, consisting of songs by the choir, and musical selections by the string band, also short speeches. During the evening they were presented an envelope containing a sum of money. Mr. Alfred Swenson made the presentation speech. At the close of the program refreshments were served.

Mr. Nik Dellgren, Mr. Birgie Petterson and Mr. Alfred Swenson had charge of the affair.

That Beautiful Gloss

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A VIEL ROAST

Western Orator Didn't Quite Fit

AT MEETING OF MACHINISTS' UNION

Socialist - Labor Man Caused Excitement

Mr. Philip Viel and Mr. Farrell, the former from the woolly west and the latter a local product, both ardent exponents of socialism, are evidently members of the Ancient, Reckless and Independent order of the "Sons of Buttinsky" for they "butted in" to the meeting of the Machinists' union, last evening, and caused quite a commotion.

As soon as their identity and the purpose of their visit was discovered they were put out without ceremony.

The meeting of the Machinists was of unusual interest and drew out a large gathering by reason of the fact that A. H. Champion of Toronto, second vice president of the International association, and Thomas Wilson of Omaha, Neb., fourth vice president, now attending the convention at Boston, were the guests of the union and delivered addresses.

Mr. Champion was enthusiastically received and his address was most interesting. He was endeavoring to get at those present who were not members of the union and he asked non-members to arise and give a reason for the position they took.

Mr. Philip Viel, who is in Lowell in the interest of the socialist labor party, was on his feet in an instant and said he would tell why he was not a member.

He said he is a miner and he was proceeding to give reasons why he would not join the Machinists' union when several members objected on the ground that Viel was not qualified to speak.

Mr. Viel protested and the situation became exciting and finally Mr. Viel was put out of the hall without being permitted to speak.

When order was restored it was discovered that during the excitement Mr. Farrell, the local exponent of socialist labor doctrine, had scattered leaflets through the hall bearing on the miners' unionism and attacking John Mitchell, the labor leader.

Mr. Viel was not permitted to re-enter the hall and he stated that he would reply to his opponents of the Machinists' meeting at an open air meeting.

LAWN PARTY

AT HOME OF LIEUT. JAMES BROSNAN LAST EVENING.

A highly enjoyable and financially successful lawn party and social was held at the residence of Mrs. James Brosnan, in High street, last evening, by the members of the Holy Rosary table of the coming Immaculate Conception bazaar.

There were about 600 present and dancing was enjoyed on a temporary pavilion to the music of McElroy's orchestra. The grounds were brilliantly lighted while prettily decorated booths and a fortune teller's camp were located about the grounds and did a thriving business.

Those who managed the affair were: General manager, Mrs. James Brosnan; assistants, Mrs. Hugh McOsker and Mrs. James Gookin; floor director, Mitchell Brosnan; assistant, Alfred J. Comey; chief aid, Wm. M. Gookin; aids, Wm. P. Kelleher, Michael O'Keefe, Elias McQuade, Frank Sullivan, Thos. Cuff; chairman of reception committee, Frank E. Finnerty assistant, Miss Katherine Brosnan; matron of whist, Mrs. Robert Gallagher.

Ice cream table—Mrs. Cornelius F. Sullivan, matron; assistants, Mrs. Hubert McQuade, Misses Emma McOsker, Louise McOsker, Harriett Sullivan, Helen Halloran, Mamie McGilley, Marion Gallagher.

Lemonade and tonic table—Mrs. L. T. Wyman, matron, assistants, Mrs. Sarah Smith, Bridget Smith, Marguerite O'Meara, Josephine O'Meara, Alice Hayes.

Candy table—Mrs. C. Desmond, matron; assistants, Mrs. P. Conlon, Miss K. Bresnan, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Misses Agnes Cavanaugh, Julia Tabor, Winnie Chaloux, Mary McLaughlin.

Cigar table—Mrs. Caroline, matron; assistants, Misses Sarah Hope, Kate Hope.

Cake table—Mrs. John Burns, matron; assistants, Mrs. A. Burns, Mrs. Hugh Downey.

NEARLY KILLED

FIRE CHIEF SENNOTT HURLED FROM WAGON.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Hurled fully 50 feet as the result of a swiftly moving electric car striking his wagon as he was rushing at breakneck speed in answer to an alarm of fire, District Chief Daniel Sennott barely escaped death at the corner of Bedford and Kingston streets last evening.

Terrorized by the accident, and with the reins dragging on the ground, the chief's horse made a mad dash up Bedford street, and was only prevented from plunging through a crowd of pedestrians by the heroism of Charles Ingersoll, the chief's driver, who performed a feat of horsemanship such as has seldom been equalled in this city.

The accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock, while Chief Sennott, who is the youngest of Boston's fire chiefs, was speeding to a supposed fire in the building at 25 Berkeley street.

THE POPE

GAVE $40,000 TO EARTHQUAKE SUFFERERS.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A despatch to the Chronicle from Rome says the pope, not wishing to be ostentatious, did not make public the amount he subscribed for the relief of the earthquake sufferers.

This resulted in anti-clericals taunting his holiness with the declaration that he limited his aid to spiritual benedictions.

It is now officially announced that he gave $40,000, the largest donation made.

CHILD MURDER

Body of Infant Found at Scituate

SCITUATE, Sept. 16.—What may prove to be a case of child murder came to light yesterday afternoon when the fully developed body of a male infant was found on the sand about a mile south of the fourth cliff life-saving station on Hunnewell beach by Surf Patrolman Frank A. Carleton.

According to Carleton he had passed the same spot about ten minutes before, and he is positive the body was not there then.

The body is that of a boy. It was not clothed and had the appearance of having been in the water but a few hours. The body was not mutilated, although marks about its neck may indicate strangulation, and there were several slight abrasions of the skin, probably caused from rolling about in the surf.

The place where the body was found was between the most northerly summer residence on the beach and the life saving station. Nearly all the cottages are closed and but few people, except the life savers and gunners are at the beach at present. There are all kinds of conjectures as to where the body came from, but it seems highly improbable that it could have been cast into the sea from the beach at that point, and many are of the opinion that it was thrown overboard from some passing vessel. It has been suggested that the child might have been thrown from the Plymouth boat, which passes by within two miles of the beach just before noon each day.

LOWELL PEOPLE

STARTED ON TRIP TO WHITE MOUNTAINS.

About 50 Lowell people together with residents of cities and towns surrounding Lowell, left this morning on Mooney's excursion to the White Mountains. The Lowell party left the Middlesex street depot on special cars at 8.30 o'clock. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday will be spent at the mountains while the return trip will be made on Wednesday.

Among the Lowell people in the party were the following:

Mrs. Carrie F. Leighton, Miss Fannie E. Redman, Mrs. Mary M. Chase, Miss Alice E. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Miller, Mr. Isaac A. Fletcher, Mrs. Lena A. Whittier, Miss Isabella Cawley, Mrs. Aaron Brown, Mrs. E. A. Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Brigham, Mrs. E. G. Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Spofford, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Keefe, Miss Nellie Keyes, Mrs. C. F. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hutchinson, Mrs. D. Whithead, Mrs. C. C. Durshtoff, Mrs. H. B. Lang, Mrs. W. H. Howe, Mr. Ossian D. Tuttle, Mr. Edward Chalifoux, Mrs. A. P. Swanton, Miss M. Lizzie Upton, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sherman, Mrs. George Emery, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Persons, Mrs. Alice D. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. Laforest Beals, Miss Emma Doucal, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nelson, Miss Carroll.

A SUICIDE

MAN FOUND DEAD IN A PAWNSHOP.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Julius Levy, manager of a pawnshop at 807 Columbus avenue, was found dead in the cellar of the shop last night, a bullet hole through his head.

John G. Storey, of 144 West 101st street and William Zoller of 125 West Thirty-third street, clerks in the pawnshop, said that Levy left early Wednesday evening to go to his home at 2352 Seventh avenue. Yesterday morning when they went to open up they found the doors locked and barred. They waited around all day for Levy. Then they learned at his home that he hadn't been there.

Sergt. Craig of the West 100th street station sent two detectives to the shop to investigate when the clerks reported to him last night. They got a locksmith and opened the front door. Everything in the place seemed to be all right. The detectives saw a light in the cellar. They went there and found Levy's body. He had placed a small hand mirror on a shelf and shot himself through the right ear.

Levy lived with his sister Fanny and a brother-in-law. He managed the shop for Louis M. Levy of Camden, N. J., who was not related to him. His family couldn't give any reason for his killing himself.

A Dangerous Mistake

Lowell Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness in Children

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ROYAL ARCANUM

Fate of Order May be Decided Tonight

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The fate of the Royal Arcanum in the eastern section of this country will probably be decided tonight at a special mass meeting of the joint committee from the subordinate councils of the order in greater New York, to be held in the Johnston building, Flatbush avenue and Fulton street, Brooklyn.

William H. McCabe, past regent of Park Slope council, will preside. This meeting is a result of the decision of the supreme council at the recent convention at Put-in-Bay, to have the new table of rates go into effect Oct. 1, in spite of protests from almost every council in the United States and Canada.

The main issue is, shall the 187,000 members of the Arcanum in New York state, more than one-half of the entire membership, join their brethren in Massachusetts in the movement to secede and establish a new organization.

In the new organization only members residing in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Illinois, Connecticut, Maryland, and the New England states will be eligible. These are the only bodies which have a balance to their credit in the widows' and orphans' fund.

It is expected that a large delegation from Boston, which started the secession movement, will attend the meeting.

It was said recently by one of the editors of a newspaper published exclusively for Arcanum news, that before Oct. 31 the new order will have a membership of 250,000.

Mrs. F. C. McVicker, chiropodist, 68 French street, has returned home from the Highgate Springs.

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TWIN SULLIVAN

Had Better of Bout With Gans

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.—Mike ("Twin") Sullivan, of Cambridge, Mass., gave his most ardent admirers a surprise last night before the Eureka A. C. by going 15 hurricane rounds to a draw with Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world.

Sullivan not only held his own with his dusky opponent, but was the aggressor throughout and had all the better of the contest the last five rounds. At several stages he had Gans in distress.

Referee O'Hara called it a draw, but many of the spectators disagreed with him. As the fight progressed Sullivan seemed more and more able to land as he pleased, and when the gong ended the 15th round Gans was hanging to his opponent, trying desperately to save himself from punishment.

Sullivan showed scarcely a mark, while Gans was badly battered up.

Sullivan's blows, however, lacked knockout steam, and his constant punches and jabs, while they wore Gans down, did not have sufficient force to send the champion to the floor.

For the first 10 rounds Gans had the advantage. In the first round after two minutes of boxing, Joe landed right and left on Sullivan's jaw, and "Twin" went down. Many thought that the contest was over and prepared to leave the building.

Sullivan, however, rose to his feet at the count of five, and managed to stand Gans off the balance of the round although Joe tried hard to land a knockout blow.

Sullivan was in great shape and his stamina came to his rescue. He came back strong in the second round and mixed up with Gans in great style. Gans, however, was far too clever for the Cambridge boy, and he again landed right and left to face. "Twin" took the punishment like a major and kept playing his left for the stomach.

In the fifth Gans again had Mike on "Queer street," but here again "Twin's" good condition came to his aid.

In the sixth Sullivan hooked a right over Gans' left eye and raised a "mouse," and in the seventh, after Gans had sent a right to Sullivan's jaw which dazed Mike, "Twin" again hooked a right over Gans' damaged eye and split it, starting the blood.

Gans had the better of the ninth and tenth rounds, but it could be seen that he was growing weaker, while Sullivan was keeping in pretty fair shape.

In the 11th Sullivan started rushing and succeeded in landing on Gans' face and stomach, but his blows lacked steam. Both were very tired toward the close of the round, and the sound of the bell was a welcome one to each.

Sullivan continued to force matters to the finish. At the end of the 12th round Gans was plainly distressed, but by clever blocking and footwork he managed to stall Mike off. Both were weak at the finish from the fast pace that they set.

BOXING GOSSIP

The members of the Business Men's gymnasium will hold another of their pleasing smoke talks at the gym in Middle street, tomorrow evening. A fine program will be offered and judging from the success of the two previous smoke talks a big representation of members will be present. Manager Flaherty has discovered a new Swedish wrestler whom he will introduce at the smoke talk.

Young Kenney states that as soon as he gets into condition he will show his friends that he has not gone back. He is training actively and faithfully at Joe Ryan's, and is fast pulling off beef. Willie Cornell would like to meet him again, and he will have no trouble getting good matches, once he gets in shape. Had Kenney remained with Ryan he would probably be meeting the top-notchers in his class now.

Jack Desmond, who made such a good showing before the Unity Club of Lawrence on Labor night, will be seen in the ring again this season. He has grown into the 118-class in which there are many clever ones. When he first started out he weighed only 105-lbs. and there were but few boxers of prominence in that class, and thus there was little for him to do. Now he can get all the matches he wants. With Freddie Maguire of this city it was just the reverse. While Freddie abandoned boxing on account of the position he held he would have found it different to get on good matches had he remained in the ring, for he still weighs 105 pounds, and no more, though he was a champion at that weight before Desmond ever put on a mitt. Maguire was one of the cleverest little men in the business and if he had only grown heavier he might have been a world-beater among the bantams or feather weights.

Local sports are now patiently waiting for the day when Jimmie Gardner goes up against Battling Nelson, for they are confident that the Lowell boy will yet be the possessor of the world's championship among the light weights. Gardner, like Desmond and other young boxers, who have started out when mere lads, has also put on weight, and many of the experts fear that he has acquired too big a frame to make the weight demanded by Nelson and remain strong. The boxer under his natural weight is as badly handicapped as he who goes into the ring over weight. Gardner, however, is confident that he can make 133 without difficulty, and he is equally confident that he can lick Nelson. Gardner, like Nelson, has the punch, and that's the thing these days. Britt had science to burn and rained blows on the Dane, but the latter was there at the finish when his more scientific opponent was led to the loser's corner. Gardner is certainly as clever as Nelson, maybe more so, and he has the punch. The conditions are quite even if the weight can be made right.

The majority of the sporting public and the management of the big fight club in Colma demands that Battling Nelson take on Jimmy Gardner as his next opponent, says "The Referee" in the Boston Traveler. The fighting Dane says he is agreeable, but he is first going to make some hay while the sun shines. For the next 10 or 15 weeks he will be engaged with his theatrical tour, which will net him $1600 per week.

Look over the field and you will find no one more worthy of a contest than Gardner. Gans is out of the question for more than one reason. In the first place Nelson will have nothing to do with Al Herford because of what he considered a "raw" deal when he fought Kid Sullivan in Baltimore. Secondly Gans could not make the weight. He has repeatedly stated that he will never again try to fight below 135 pounds. Thus it is that the title of lightweight champion must be defended by Nelson. He did not win it when he defeated Britt, but he is the most likely candidate to defend it, and when he battles with Gardner it will be for boss of that division.

There seems to be a great deal of doubt about the Lowell boy's ability to make the weight. In the West, where he has done most of his fighting during the past two years, critics do not believe that Jimmy can make 133 pounds and be fit to fight such a rough house affair as Nelson. Gardner, on the other hand, is sure that he can enter the ring strong at that weight. Shortly after his fight with Rufe Turner, which was at 135 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock on the evening of the mill, Gardner wrote to the Referee stating that he was positive that he could make 133 pounds at 6 o'clock for either Britt or Nelson, and that he would be at the ringside to challenge them. Jimmy stated in his letter that he weighed in at 134½ pounds when he fought Turner. He did this without any systematic effort to reduce, so he feels confident of making the weight required by Nelson and incidentally that he will win from the Dane.

If there is one man living who can beat the Dane it is Gardner, provided of course that he is fit at the weight requirements. The Lowell boy has shown championship calibre by defeating Buddy Ryan for the white welterweight championship, knocking out Jack O'Keefe in 11 rounds and putting Willie Fitzgerald to sleep in five rounds. With the exception of Fitzgerald and Rufe Turner, who went down before Jimmy in 11 rounds, all of the men he has met in two years have had from ten to fifteen pounds of weight on him.

People close to the Lowell fighter have always maintained that he could make the lightweight limit and be strong, yet they have also put themselves on record with the statement that his best fighting weight is 135 pounds. Those two pounds make a big difference to Gardner, yet he is confident that he will feel no ill effect.

Jimmy Gardner has all the qualifications of a champion fighter. He has a punch that is a sleep producer. His record doesn't show a K. O. against the names of a lot of dubs, but those two letters are opposite the names of the best men that could be picked in the welterweight division. Britt is credited with being extremely clever, yet I doubt whether he commenced to have the speed and science of Gardner.

Gardner's defense is the most remarkable point. He can tin can with the best of them and when it comes to covering up and blocking he is one of the great artists in the game. With his arms crossed and working like a pair of scissors he covers every particle of his head and body. It is an impregnable defense. The Dane would get exhausted trying to place a blow on him. Stalling is usually a bad feature for a fighter to become proficient in because in nine out of ten cases he carries it to the extreme and rarely ever forces a fight. This is not so with the Lowell lad. It is only when it is coming too hard and fast that James covers up.

Buddy Ryan has always been noted for being a husky, rough-house fighter, yet he placed but few hard blows on Jimmy. He tried keeping on top of the Lowell fighter, but was outfooted and in close he discovered that Gardner could either block all of the blows aimed at him or fight back with punches that carried terrific force.

While Nelson is credited with a knockout punch, yet it is not the dream producer that goes with the right or left mitt shot out by the Gardner lad. Nelson has never fought a man with a terrific punch save Aurelia Herrera. The Mexican put him to the mat and came within an ace of counting him out, but the great recuperating powers of the Dane served him well. With Gardner he would be getting a wallop every time he held his head up. That snappy left jolt, not the kind that Britt uses, but one that worms its way by the defence of a fighter and blinds him with its terrific force. Before his opponents recover from the harm accomplished by the left jab, Gardner sends over that lightning right cross to the jaw. It is as accurate as any human hand is in such affairs and when the hand encounters the jaw of an opponent he goes down.

Gardner has everything in his favor but the weight conditions, yet he insists that weight will not be a handicap. He can out-trick and out-punch the Dane. His defence is better, and he is faster, while the Dane hasn't a thing on him as an aggressive fighter. Nelson's only chance of winning would be to withstand the punching that has brought men weighing 10 to 15 pounds more than he down. He certainly hasn't one other thing in his favor if you sit down and compare the two men.

The prospect of a fight between this pair are excellent, although it will be some months off. Nelson will be busy showing himself off to the public for at least four months, and then another month of training would have to follow.

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DUCK PINS

WANNALANCITS DEFEATED BY THE BROWNIES

In the duck-pin tournament at the Bowlaway alleys last night the Brownies defeated the Wannalancits by the score of 1316 to 1256. Kelley and O'Brien of the winning team were tied for first honors.

The score:

BROWNIES.

Kelley	92	88	97	277
Moran	96	87	74	257
King	83	59	87	232
Dwyer	88	91	86	273
O'Brien	98	97	82	277
Totals	457	461	428	1316

WANNALANCITS.

Edwards	83	100	81	264
Hodgman	93	76	77	246
Fowler	85	74	73	232
Farnalls	83	90	82	245
Edgell	100	91	78	269
Totals	416	421	391	1256

BASE BALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pc.
Philadelphia	78	45	.630
Chicago	73	52	.584
Cleveland	67	61	.523
New York	62	60	.508
Detroit	65	61	.504
Boston	62	62	.500
Washington	52	73	.416
St. Louis	45	85	.346

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—(First game) Philadelphia 4, Boston 3. (Second game) Boston 3, Philadelphia 2.

At New York—Washington 6, New York 2.

At Chicago—St. Louis 5, Chicago 3.

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

Boston at Philadelphia.
Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pc.
New York	92	37	.713
Pittsburg	90	46	.662
Chicago	75	57	.568
Philadelphia	71	59	.546
Cincinnati	65	67	.493
St. Louis	53	82	.354
Boston	43	89	.329
Brooklyn	39	90	.302

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Philadelphia 4, Boston 2.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 4, Chicago 3.
At Cincinnati—Pittsburg 5, Cincinnati 7.
At Lynn—New York (National) 2, Lynn (N. E.) 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

New York at Boston (two games).
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
Chicago at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Lowell police baseball team and the Cambridge team will contest for honors some afternoon next week at Mountain Rock grove. The date has not as yet been definitely fixed, but it will be held the latter part of the week. These teams met recently at Cambridge, and the Spindle City coppers put it onto their Cambridge brethren to the tune of 9 to 5, in a close and interesting game.

The Middlesex Village baseball team plays the Almonts of Tewksbury on the latter's grounds today. Game called at 3.30 p. m.

This afternoon at Spalding park at 3 o'clock the Ketchup baseball team of Dracut will cross bats with the Red Men of Lowell. It is expected that "Billy" Hickey will pitch for the Dracut boys, while "Gene" McCarthy, a former Collinsville lad, will twirl for the Indians.

The batting order will be Beaulieu 2b, D. Donovan 2b, McManmon cf, Kelley lf, Jordan ss, Donohoe rf, Murray 1b, J. Donovan c, McCarthy p.

ON THE CREASE.

The Mohairs first team is playing at Everett this afternoon.

The Zions are having a friendly contest with the Moore Spinning Mill team at North Ch... ...M.

The Bunting Reserves have Maynard as their guests this afternoon.

SEVERAL KILLED

Factory Wrecked by an Explosion

AVON, Conn., Sept. 16.—The factory of the Climax Fuse company took fire yesterday and an explosion followed, wrecking a portion of the plant. It is reported that several employes were killed and others hurt.

The explosion was in a small stone building in which a number of men and girls were at work. The building was not demolished, the explosion spending itself through the windows. It is thought that six persons were killed as that number cannot be found. Five of the missing at 3.30 were:

James Joy, William Burke, Molly McCarthy, Julia Sullivan and Dick McCarthy. A call has been sent to Hartford for hospital aid.

The portion of the plant which last burned consisted of small wooden structures adjacent to the stone building in which the fuses were finished. The fire loss is not expected to be great. Most of the employes hurt were struck by fragments of glass from the windows or debris scattered by the explosion.

$200,000 STOCK

B. & N. Wants to Increase Its Capital

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The Boston & Northern and Old Colony Street Railway companies yesterday petitioned the railroad commissioners for authority to issue $200,000 additional capital stock for the payment of improvements, etc., and also to determine the price at which this stock shall be offered to stock holders. On April 8, these companies were authorized to issue $300,000 additional capital stock the same to be sold to stockholders at $109 per share. The present outstanding authorized capital of the Boston & Northern is $10,160,000 and that of the Old Colony $7,312,400.

INJUNCTIONS

HAVE STIRRED UP MR. McADOO.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Police Commissioner McAdoo commented bitterly yesterday on the action of the courts in granting injunctions in the cases of suspected poolrooms. His remarks were called forth by a question as to what he thought of the recent action of the Western Union Telegraph company in again deciding to abolish the collection of racing news. The commissioner said:

"I have today asked for a complete list of poolrooms in Greater New York where the police have been enjoined by the courts. The police are confident that many of these places, from which they are barred by injunction, are running as poolrooms, and it is most embarrassing to our efforts to be so strictly enjoined.

"I say this because I am constantly in receipt of appeals from people living in neighborhoods where they say poolrooms are being run. I have before me now a tearful letter from a father, who tells me that his son is being ruined by playing the races in a place where the police are enjoined from interfering. In this place, as in others, a fictitious business is conducted as a mask to the violation of law.

"It is a practise now where places secure injunctions for them to remain quiet for a while and let the injunction sonk in. Lawyers then threaten me with peril and damages if I raise a finger. Then slowly, but surely, with patrons who are carefully identified and so well known as to be safe and steady customers, the place is launched on its career of crime."

Mr. McAdoo received the list of suspected places last night. It is a big one and covers nearly every section of the city. After looking the list over he says he will have it published.

25 YEARS WED

SILVER WEDDING OF MR. AND MRS. MATTHEW MURPHY.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Murphy of East Merrimack street were congratulated last evening by many friends on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. They were married Sept. 15, 1880, by the late Rev. Fr. James McGrath, O. M. I. Their home has been in Lowell since.

Letters were sent from here this week to Oakland, Cal., congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Bolton on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Bolton were former residents of Lowell and Mr. Bolton was an active member for years of Lowell council, K. C.

BOARD REMOVED

Mayor Reade Decapitates Health Officials

WOBURN, Sept. 16.—Dr. William H. Kelcher, chairman and George Buchanan and Dennis S. Doherty, his fellow members of the board of health, were removed from office yesterday afternoon by order of Mayor Reade. The official edict was served upon each member by Deputy Sheriff Joseph H. Buck, and a copy was filed with City Clerk John H. Finn at 3.25 o'clock.

The text of the order is as follows:

"It is ordered by the mayor, that William H. Kelcher, George Buchanan and Dennis S. Doherty, members of the board of health of the city of Woburn, severally be and hereby are removed from office for the following causes, in his official discretion deemed sufficient:

"First, because of a wanton disregard of public and private rights and contempt of constituted authority.

"Second, because of their curt and contemptuous treatment of the mayor, and obstructing him in the discharge of the duties of his office at a public hearing attended by him upon notice and request of the board of health.

"Third, for the good of the public service."

CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

The news of this summary and wholesale decapitation spread like wildfire and was the chief topic of conversation throughout the city. It finds its origin in a hearing held by the board of health Wednesday evening on a petition asking for relief from unhealthy conditions alleged to exist in the northwesterly shores of Horn pond.

At that meeting City Solicitor Norris accompanied by the mayor and at the latter's request, and as his representative, sought to propound sundry questions to witnesses for the petition, and to ascertain from the board information as to the statute under which they were acting.

The board refused to allow the city's law officer to ask any questions, and declined to answer those put to them as a board, claiming to have sole and unrestricted jurisdiction in the premises.

NEW CABLES

WILL EXTEND TO CHINA AND JAPAN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Commercial Cable company, gave out yesterday this statement of the company's plans:

"Arrangements have been finally completed for the laying of submarine cables to China and Japan. It was the earnest wish of President McKinley, while the Pacific cable was in contemplation, that in addition we should lay cables to China and Japan. The difficulties at that time seemed insuperable, but we assured the president that we would do everything possible to comply with his wishes.

"Amongst our difficulties was a protest which Russia made against our laying a cable to Japan as being a breach of neutrality. President Roosevelt has given us his hearty support in order that American commerce might have quick service to China and Japan by an American cable.

"We also received the efficient aid of ex-Attorney General Knox and Attorney General Moody. Our landing rights in China were obtained several weeks ago and we have completed arrangements with the government of Japan for landing rights and connections in that country. Yesterday the agreement was signed by Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister.

"We shall proceed at once with the manufacture and laying of these two cables, which will take several months. The Commercial Pacific Cable company will then pierce the Far East at three points—namely, the Philippines, China and Japan. With the cable which has just been completed to Newfoundland, a fifth cable to Europe which will be laid this month, a cable from Guam to Japan and one from Manila to Shanghai we will have a system extending over two-thirds of the way around the globe."

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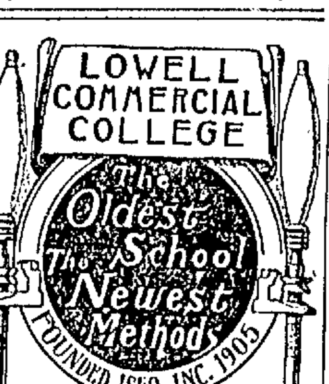

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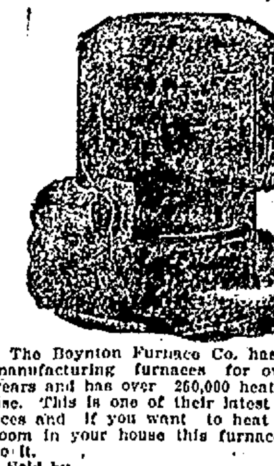

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6.28	7.40	6.30	7.26
6.39	7.30	7.34	8.34
6.47	7.33	8.15	8.59
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.57
7.21	8.05	9.30	9.57
7.31	8.50	10.00	10.37
7.45	8.35	10.17	11.30
7.59	8.55	11.30	12.07
8.37	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.33	10.10	1.00	1.37
11.07	12.02	1.15	1.52
11.43	12.24	2.00	3.01
12.14	1.09	3.00	3.47
1.56	2.39	3.50	4.05
2.55	3.45	3.47	5.00
3.47	4.37	4.34	5.20
4.02	4.45	5.00	5.57
4.25	5.30	5.35	6.25
5.22	6.15	5.47	6.24
5.49	7.00	6.14	7.30
6.13	6.55	7.30	8.09
7.31	8.18	8.30	9.05
8.50	9.51	10.20	11.26
		11.30	12.21

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From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.33
9.25	10.35	10.50	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.30	1.05
12.05	1.02	2.15	3.15
12.47	1.59	2.35	4.00
2.25	3.22	4.09	5.55
3.15	4.00	6.03	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.45
5.06	6.45	9.40	10.35
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6.15	9.55	8.00	9.15
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.06
3.55	4.50	5.05	6.50
5.30	6.50	8.40	9.47
8.45	9.42		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.58	7.30	7.00	10.00
7.21	8.07	9.00	10.37
8.48	9.49	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.57
2.25	3.27	5.00	5.59
5.10	6.00	7.30	8.08
6.15	6.55	8.30	9.05
7.31	8.15	9.00	10.12
		10.15	11.19

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FINE RACING

A Great Crowd Witnessed Events at the Fair

The horses at the fair yesterday afternoon proved to be the feature of the day. A number of fine horses were entered and both races which were pulled off, the 2.30 trot or pace and 2.18 trot or pace were well contested. The 2.18 class was won by Nettie Bell, a Dover horse, in straight heats, but after four heats had been run off in the 2.30 class the race was still unfinished and will be finished today.

Unnoticed won two straight heats and ran what looked like a dead heat with Victor in the third heat, but the heat was given to Victor. The race in the fourth heat was pretty and Mutineer, who had been very restless during the other heats, finishing eighth, fifth and third, with a new driver behind him, crossed under the wire first.

Despite the fact that the races were scheduled for two o'clock it was nearer three o'clock when they began.

There were six starters in the 2.18 class, trot or pace, Baby Con and Owen J. Carney's Peacherina having been drawn. The only Lowell horse entered was T. N. Burnham's Grindo.

There was considerable scoring in the first heat, and on one occasion while getting a start Nettie Bell got restless and dumped her driver out of the sulky, but he escaped injury.

When they did finally get off Paddy, the Irish Boy, took the lead away from the pole horse, Botany, and was leading at the half, closely followed by Nettie Bell, Diamond bringing up the rear.

The race down the home stretch was a pretty one between Paddy, the Irish Boy, and Nettie Bell, but the latter won by inches. The rest of the field was far behind, Diamond and Grlado coming in just before the flag was dropped.

In the second heat, while scoring, Botany's sulky got smashed and there was a delay of 15 minutes while a change was made. When they got started Paddy, the Irish Boy, was leading and kept it up for nearly a half when Nettie Bell passed him and finished first.

The third and deciding heat of the race was a walk away for Nettie Bell, the Dover horse winning with ease, Paddy, the Irish boy, was a poor second.

There were eight starters in the first heat of the 2.30 class. After scoring several times the horses got bunched and were given the signal to go.

Victor took the lead and was closely pressed by R. 33, but at the half Unnoticed came up and traveling at a workout gait finished first. R. W. Johnson's R. 33 was beaten out at the wire by Albert for second place.

The time for the heat was 2.32 flat. The second was a regular sleighride with the exception of Diamond and Victor. Diamond had the pole from the start and while Victor made several ineffectual attempts to take the lead Diamond's driver fought him off and finished first.

The third heat was the best of the race, the spectators being furnished with an exciting finish between Unnoticed and Victor. Unnoticed took the way, but Victor pushed him hard. Coming down the stretch the horses were neck and neck and came under the wire with but a hair separating them. After considerable discussion among the judges, Victor was given the heat. R. 33 finished fifth but was given eighth owing to interference.

The fourth heat found a dark horse the winner. Victor had the pole and kept it for a half, when Unnoticed went to the fore closely followed by Mutineer. These three horses came down the stretch neck and neck, and though Unnoticed was picked for the winner of the heat, he went bad, and Mutineer won the heat with Victor a close second.

It was so near sundown that the judges announced that the race would be finished this afternoon at one o'clock.

The summary:

2.30 class; trot or pace; purse $300; unfinished.

Unnoticed, bg, A. J. Wills, Lawrence	1	1	2	3
Victor, bg, R. Crosby, Dorchester	4	2	1	2
Mutineer, blk g, C. C. Blaney, Boston	8	5	2	1
Albert, bg, Eable House, Haverhill	2	8	7	8
R. 33, chg, R. W. Johnson, Lowell	3	3	8	6
Charley King, blk g, A. T. Wheelock, Dorchester	5	4	4	4
Bird Seed, bg, M. R. Walsh, Woburn	6	6	5	5
J. C. L., blk g, Larock, Woburn	7	8	6	7

Time—2.32, 2.32¼, 2.33, 2.32¼.

2.19 class; trot or pace; purse $300.

Nettie Bell, bm, Granite State park	1	1	1
Paddy, the Irish Boy, F. Isabel, Boston	2	2	2
Botany, bs, Larock, Woburn	3	3	3
Ornament, ch g, C. H. Morse, Ashmont	4	4	5
Diamond, bg, D. O. Leary, Lawrence	5	5	4
Grlado, bg, T. N. Burnham, Lowell	6	6	6
Peacherina, blk m, O. J. Carney, Lowell	dr		

Time—2.23¾, 2.25¾, 2.25.

E. S. Wason of Nashua gave excellent satisfaction as starter.

Frank E. Putnam, Fred Kingsbury and Alva S. Baker were the efficient timers and judges.

TYPHOID FEVER

Doctors Say Epidemic is Threatened

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Vacations spent in small farm houses poorly ventilated, with bad drainage and contaminated water supplies are declared by several leading physicians of this city to threaten an epidemic of typhoid fever during the autumn. The doctors declare that stringent measures will be necessary to prevent a great amount of sickness from these causes among persons who spent their vacation days in the country, supposedly enjoying a change of air and fresher food than they get in the city.

"In the matter of typhoid," said one of the city's best known practitioners last night, "it is agreed that sanitary administration has not kept pace with scientific progress. One reason for this is that the laws are defective. The health authorities have not the necessary power to enforce regulations and the people as a rule are not educated up to the point of obeying salutary statutes." It is hard to prove directly that the disease has come from any particular district, yet every physician will testify that in certain districts where typhoid prevails its exercise is ignored by interested parties.

"Any physician will tell you that contaminated water is the chief cause of the disease and that in country districts the sunken well and the old-fashioned cesspool generally in close proximity to the living quarters produce that cause.

"Farmers, even if they were disposed, do not understand the requirements of a large number of persons, because they are accustomed to taking care of only a few. All such places that take boarders should be required to have a license approved by the health authorities, showing that the place is sanitary and free from fever, as it is possible for any place to be."

DEATHS

REAULT—Marie Reault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reault, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 129 Summer street.

ALLARIE—Narcisse Emery Allarie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allarie, died yesterday at the residence of his parents, 225 Cheever street, aged 1 year.

MAHONEY—Nora F. Mahoney, aged 49 years, died yesterday at her home, 462 Chelmsford street. Besides her husband, John F. Mahoney, she leaves five daughters and one son.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home.

ROGERS—Ellen Rogers, aged 57 years, died yesterday at the city hospital. Her remains were removed to the warerooms of Peter H. Savage.

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In Lowell is as popular as The Sun, because it gives the best news in the best possible way. It

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NINE ARE DEAD

Killed by the Explosion at Avon

AVON, Conn., Sept. 16.—Nine persons are dead as a result of the explosion and fire which destroyed the plant of the Climax Fuse company yesterday afternoon. Nine others have severe burns and it was feared this morning that at least two of these might not recover. The ruins of the stone building where the explosion occurred were still so hot today as to make a search difficult and dangerous, but the workers succeeded in getting out one body early in the day. It was charred, however, beyond recognition. Six other bodies remained in the ruins. During the night two of the injured, Charles Dimock and Miss Nora Ryan, both of whom were seriously burned, died at their homes.

The complete list of dead and those most seriously injured was reported today as follows:

The dead:

WILLIAM BURKE, aged 40, married.
JAMES JOYCE, 35, married.
ROBERT McCARTHY, 18.
JAMES WALLACE, 30.
CHARLES DIMOCK, 18.
MISS MOLLIE McCARTHY, 15.
MISS JULIA SULLIVAN, 18.
MRS. M. B. TUCKER, 40.
MISS NORA RYAN, 18.

The injured:

Michael Canfield, arms badly burned and internal injuries feared.

Michael McCarthy, body severely burned.

Lyman Hull, painful body burns.

Mrs. William Burke, wife of one of the missing, burned very severely and may die.

Charle Legeyt, very seriously burned recovery doubtful.

Miss Nellie Canfield, arms and back burned.

Mrs. Norton Fish, severely bruised.

Arthur Tuller, burned about the legs.

Earl Tuller, arms badly burned.

Hundreds of people, many of whom had lost a relative or friend by the accident, crowded about the ruins today, watching the slow progress of the search work. It was considered unlikely, however, that it would be possible to identify any of the bodies as the heat was sufficient apparently to incinerate them.

The explosion is generally believed to have been due to contact of a hot iron with the fuse which was being manufactured. At one point in the process of manufacture the fuse is drawn through a hole in a frame attached to a reel. Such holes sometimes become clogged by the tar, used for purposes of safety, the fuse is coated and when this happens, it has been customary to clear the hole by means of a hot iron. It is believed that James Joyce was attempting to clear one of these holes yesterday and that probably a break in the tar covering over the fuse led to the explosion. There was a flash of flames and inflammable material near by took fire, filling the room instantly with smoke. Most of the victims are believed to have become confused in the panic which followed and to have died of suffocation, unable to make their escape.

Dr. Kellogg, of Hartford, has a summer home almost directly across the street from the fuse factory and was on the lawn of his residence when the explosion occurred. He saw the shower of debris from the explosion and the scramble of the men and women to escape from the building.

"I never saw a more awful sight than this," he said afterward. "The explosion was not heavy and seemed to me like a smothered blast but as I looked toward the factory sheets of fire seemed to sweep through the building and the smoke arose in clouds. Then there was a mad rush of men and women, nearly all with hands uplifted and shrieking horribly. Some jumped from the windows and some were trampled under foot. As soon as possible, I attended to the injuries of ten or a dozen, applying soothing ointments, and by that time other physicians reached the scene. The burns of some were terrible, the skin hanging in strips."

W. H. Hadsell, a brother of F. H. Hadsell, superintendent of the factory, had a narrow escape. He was in the shipping room near the elevator shaft on the floor above that where the explosion occurred. Blinded by the flames and smoke which shot up the elevator shaft, he lost his way stumbling among heaps of boxes and was nearly suffocated. He seemed just about to drop to the floor when he saw the dim outline of a window and managed to reach it and jump outside to safety.

The property loss by the fire was estimated at from $100,000 to $150,000. Four buildings were destroyed, the fire spreading rapidly on account of the failure of the automatic sprinkler system to work and the inability of the small town fire apparatus to cope with a blaze of such magnitude with one engine and hose cart.

MOURNING SIGNS

Boston Grieves at the Death of Late Mayor

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The funeral car bearing the body of Mayor A. Patrick Collins and attached to the Federal express arrived at the South Terminal station in this city at 7.18 a. m. today, over the Providence division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. The train was exactly on time. A small gathering of citizens had assembled, and all removed their hats and reverently bowed their heads as the body of their honored mayor was taken from the car and placed in a hearse.

The hearse was driven slowly to an undertaking establishment in South Boston, a short distance from the station. It was planned to take the body from there at about noon to the home of the late mayor on Corey road in the Brighton district. The work of draping the city hall in mourning garb was completed during last night and today flags at half staff were seen everywhere throughout the city.

The list of honorary pall-bearers who will take part in the funeral of Mayor Collins was given out today. It includes the names of Gov. Wm. L. Douglas, Richard Olney, Former secretary of state; Senator W. Murray Crane, Wm. H. K. Redmond, Irish member of parliament; Acting Mayor Daniel Whelton and former Mayors Samuel A. Green, Thos. N. Hart, Nathan Matthews, Edwin U. Curtis, Josiah Quincy. Among the others are Mayor Augustine Daley of Cambridge, James Donovan, superintendent of streets; Colonel Wm. A. Gaston, General Charles H. Taylor, Major Henry L. Higginson, Wm. T. Fitzgerald, president of the democratic city committee; Chas. E. Stratton, former Congressman John R. Thayer, Thomas Gargan, Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, John M. Grannan, Lieut. John A. Tobin, U. S. N. (retired) E. B. Bartlett, Jerome Jones, A. Shuman, P. F. Griffin, John F. Nooan and M. P. Curran, secretary to Mayor Collins, and Arthur W. Dolan, president of the common council.

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Thursday, Sept. 21 at 1 o'clock P. M.

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PERSONAL PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE THOMPSON FARM, BETTER KNOWN AS THE McFARLAND FARM, ON NASHUA ROAD, DRACUT, MASS.

Last month, Mr. Keyes sold my farm for me and as I must vacate the same I have pledged all my personal property used in connection with the farm in the hands of the auctioneer to be disposed of on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1905, regardless of the weather.

The property consists of: 1 Bay Horse, weighs about 1250 lbs., a very good all-round horse; 1 Bay Mare, weighs about 1300 lbs., a good worker and a very fair driver; 1 Gray Horse, weighs about 1100 lbs., a good all-round horse; 1 Gray Horse, weighs about 1400 lbs.; 8 very nice Cows, description of them will be given at time of sale. About 25 tons of hay, most all of it an excellent quality of English Hay; 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Three-Spring Wagon, 1 Open In-Spring Buggy, 2 Sets Double Harness, 1 Carryall, 1 Democrat Wagon, 1 Two-Horse Sled, 1 Sleigh, 1 Parlor Stove, also the farming tools, Plows, Rakes, Harrows, Mowing Machine, Forks, Chains, etc.

Take the Pelham car to Richardson's Corner. This will take you within 5 minutes' walk of the farm. Terms of sale, Cash.

By order of C. C. THOMPSON.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 3 o'clock

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE O'HARE ESTATE AT THE CORNER OF PROSPECT STREET AND BUTLER AVENUE. SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 2650 SQ. FEET OF LAND.

By virtue of a license issued to me as administrator of the Mary O'Hare Estate, and in order to make a partition of the same, I shall sell on the premises on the day advertised, regardless of the weather, to whomsoever shall bid the most, this excellent corner property. The house consists of seven rooms, four on the first floor and three chambers on the second. With a small amount expended on this cottage it would make a very cosy little home. The lot is a very desirable one, as it has a frontage of 82 feet on Prospect street and about 38 feet on Butler avenue. When the grade of the street was changed on Prospect street the city built a well-appointed stone wall and laid a concrete sidewalk the full length of the frontage of this property. There are 10 nice fruit trees, bearing peaches, pears and apples. The lot is all fenced in and there is plenty of vacant land to be improved upon. The fact of this being a corner lot certainly is a great advantage to this parcel. It is an excellent location for renting purposes; it is within 100 yards of Central street and within five minutes' walk of many large industries and the speculator would do well to look this corner over.

TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.

JOHN W. McEVOY, Attorney. FRANK O'HARE, Administrator.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 3.30 o'clock

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF THE PATRICK HORNE ESTATE AT 58 KINSMAN AND 40 LYON STREETS. A TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 2586 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.

By virtue of a license issued to me by the court and for the purposes of making a settlement of the estate, I shall offer the same at public auction on the premises regardless of the weather on Saturday, September 23, at 3.30 o'clock. The house consists of two tenements, one of five rooms and the other seven rooms. It is well constructed and very conveniently laid out, and is in very good repair inside and out. It has large bay windows in front on the first and second stories; a front door entrance on Kinsman street and a side door entrance on Lyon street. A two-tenement house of this kind should interest the man of moderate means. The lot has a frontage of 40 feet on Lyon street and about 58 feet on Kinsman street. It is all fenced in and concreted all around the house. There are three apple trees and a very nice yard all sodded. There is ample room for the purchaser to build on the Kinsman street side if he so desires. The fact of this being a corner lot with so much frontage on both streets makes this parcel very desirable. The location is one of the very best for renting; there are a number of large industries within a very few minutes' walk of this property. This must be an absolute sale and undoubtedly someone will get a good bargain.

Terms: $250 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off. JOHN W. McEVOY, Administrator.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 4 o'clock

AN ABSOLUTE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF FOUR DWELLING HOUSES, CONSISTING OF TWO TWO-TENEMENT HOUSES, A BLOCK OF THREE FLATS, A 7-ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 5328 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 81 AND 85 WEST THIRD STREET, ALL TO BE SOLD IN ONE PARCEL.

The above property has been placed in my hands to be disposed of on the premises, regardless of the weather, without limit or reserve, to the highest bidder. The present owner is in no condition to care for this property as it should be. It certainly will be a grand investment for someone who can give it the care and attention that such property as this requires. Number 85, a block of three flats, has been built but a few years and is in excellent repair inside and out; each tenement has five rooms, water closet and pantry and rents for $10.00 each, making a total of $360 a year for this house. Number 81 is a two-tenement house, seven rooms with one tenement and five with the other, and is occupied at present by two very good tenants and rents for about $225 a year. Numbers 1 and 3 is a two-tenement house in the rear; six rooms with one tenement and five with the other, and rents for about $220 a year; Number 4, in the rear, is a cottage house which is idle at the present time, but with a small amount expended would rent as readily as the others; it always has rented for $96 a year. The above properties when properly handled should rent for $1060 a year. This is a proposition for some speculator who could give it a little care and attention and who would be well paid for his trouble.

From 50 to 70 per cent. may remain on mortgage if the purchaser so desires. For further information on this property call on the auctioneer, C. F. Keyes, 52 Central Street, Lowell, Mass.

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Sales for the Week Ending Sept. 23, 1905

TUESDAY

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THURSDAY

The Farm and Personal Property

at the Elmdale Farm, known as the Roundie or Hill place, Grove street, Reading, Massachusetts, is to be closed out without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever to the highest bona fide bidders at absolute auction sale, on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1905, beginning promptly at 1 o'clock in the afternoon regardless of any condition of the weather. The sale to take place upon the premises, which are within one mile of Reading square, 3 miles of Wilmington, four miles of Woburn. The Boston & Northern Street Railway (Reading and Lowell line), at the corner of Grove and Lowell streets, is within three or four minutes' walk. There are

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M. E. BRANDE.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy to cloudy, probably without rain tonight and Sunday. There will be light easterly to southerly winds.

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COURT SHOCKED

At Language Used by a Small boy

Judge Hadley was completely jarred this morning when Leslie Lohnes of 17 Webster street, a neat appearing boy not over 14 years of age, calmly admitted having used toward George Jackson, the vilest epithets ever heard in police court.

When the defendant Jackson, who was charged with assault on young Lohnes and two other young men, testified to the language used by Lohnes the court was loathe to believe that a boy of his years could be familiar with such expressions and sharply cross-questioned the witnesses, who stuck to their original testimony.

Then the boy was recalled and asked if he had used such language and he promptly gave an affirmative answer.

The court immediately discharged the defendant with the remark: "That boy should have his mouth shut with something stronger than a rotten potato," the complainant alleging that Jackson had struck him with a rotten potato.

The alleged assault took place at the public bath house in Pawtucket street about a week ago. The defendant, George Jackson, lives next door to the bath house and it would appear is not on friendly terms with the proprietor, Mr. Jean. Young Lohnes while in swimming at the bath house got on the wharf of Mr. Jackson nearby and Jackson ordered him off. Lohnes went away from the wharf but upon getting back to the bath house turned around and called Jackson the vile names referred to. Jackson upon hearing the language picked up a rotten potato and threw it at young Lohnes, striking him on the shoulder. Lohnes went into the bath house crying and told Jean about it.

Jackson pleaded not guilty and was defended by Col. Carmichael who brought the admission from the Lohnes boy's mother that she would not have known about the incident had it not been that Jean called on her and advised her to have Jackson brought to court for assault, offering, she said, to stand any expense incurred by the case.

Judge Hadley was genuinely astonished at the developments in the case for with all his experience with men and women of crime he had never before heard of so young a person being familiar with and using such vile language.

MORE HOBOES IN.

A few more railroad workers appeared in court for drunkenness this morning. There were seven arrests all told for drunkenness, and of the seven, four were released.

Thomas Smith was on his way to Salem, N. H. to get a job on the new race track there, and stopped over in Lowell a few minutes, too long a time, for he was taken in for the old trouble. Smithie was somewhat shaky in court, and Judge Hadley thought that he could swing a pick and manipulate a shovel much better after a 10 days' sojourn at jail.

Frank Brennan pleaded not guilty and Officer Breault testified that he found Brennan inside of Kelly's pawnshop in Middlesex street, much to the bad alcoholically and financially. Brennan said he had $16 coming to him, but a search of his jeans revealed one lone dime with him. Brennan said that he hadn't drunk anything since Wednesday, and hadn't eaten for that matter, and the court fixed it so that he will have plenty to eat and drink for the next ten days.

Daniel McCauley had been pinched three times within a month, and hence it was a 100 to 1 shot that Daniel would go into retirement for the next few months. It was the state farm for Daniel.

CALKINS NOT GUILTY.

The much continued case of John Calkins for threatening Grace May Higgins who testified against Calkins in his non-support case previously tried in police court was called.

After the case was finished Calkins met Mrs. Higgins in the corridor of the police court and said to her: "I'll fix you for this." Later in the day Calkins met her and made remarks to her of an insulting rather than a threatening nature.

Col. Carmichael for the defendant asked for his discharge on the ground that the government had not made out a case, and the court found Calkins not guilty. When the contestants were leaving the court room Judge Hadley suggested that Probation Officer Slattery accompany them through the corridor lest they have another mix-up.

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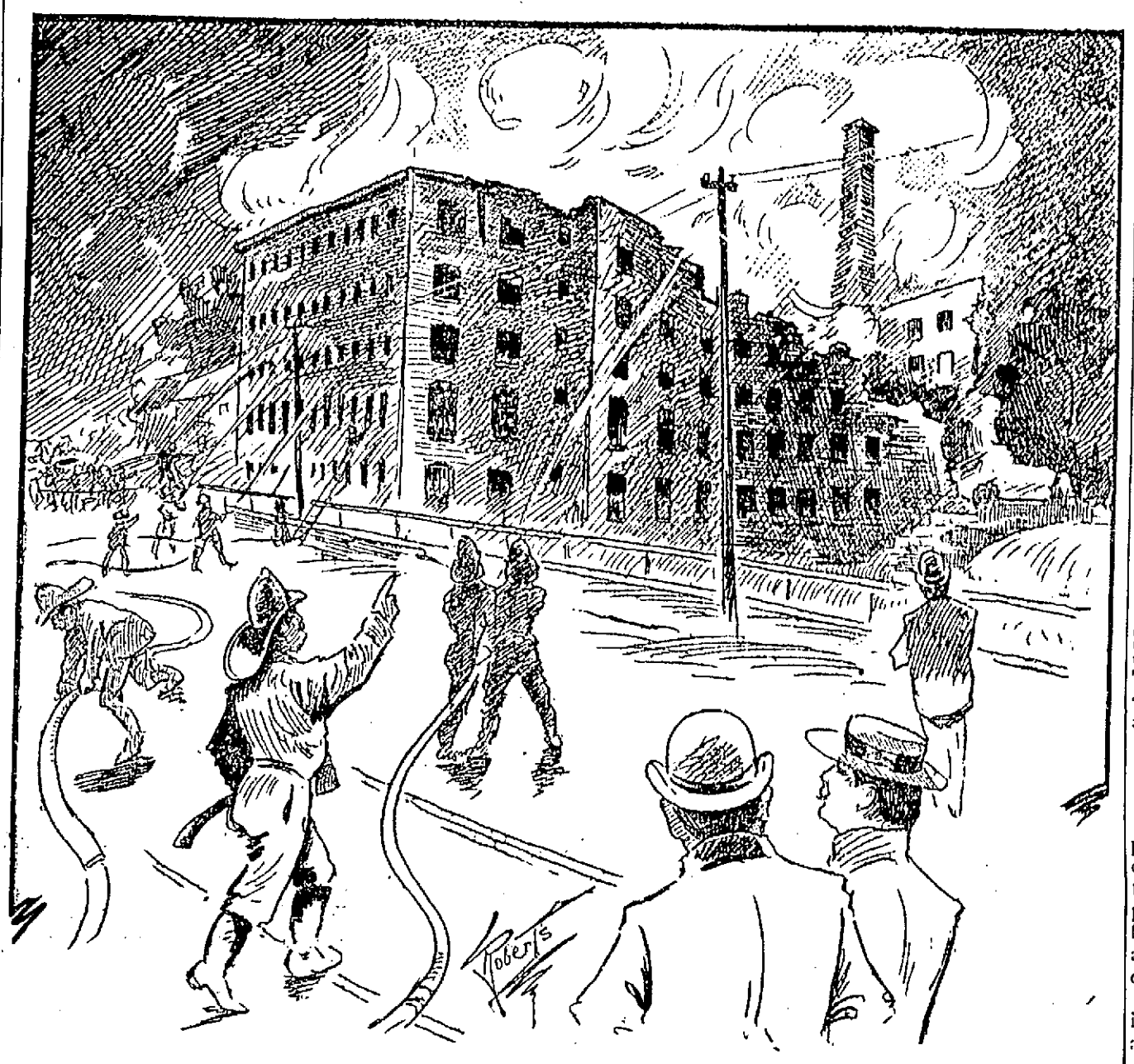

SKETCH OF THE FIVE-STORY PICKER MILL OF THE AMERICAN WOOLEN CO. AT COLLINSVILLE IN FLAMES.

Big Fire at Collinsville Mills This Morning

The five-story brick building, 120x80, the property of the American Woolen company, and a part of the Beaver Brook mills in Collinsville was destroyed by fire that broke out on the lower floor about midnight, last night. The loss, including stock and buildings, is estimated at $125,000.

Unless the company can arrange to supply the Beaver brook mills with stock from some other point the plant will have to close. The building that was burned included the carbonizing and dyeing departments and employed about 50 hands. These departments were destroyed and it is generally conceded that the picker house, store and boarding house would have been wiped out but for the timely arrival of the apparatus from Lowell.

PRES. WOOD'S STATEMENT.

President Wood of the American Woolen company arrived at the scene of the fire in an automobile, at about 9.30 this forenoon, and in conversation with a representative of The Sun set the loss between $100,000 and $150,000. Mr. Wood thinks that it will not be necessary to close the Beaver Brook mills. The company has mills in Burlington, Vt., and the stock necessary to keep the Beaver Brook mills going will be shipped from there. Mr. Wood said that the company would proceed to rebuild at once as it would be impossible to run the plant without the departments that were quartered in the building that was burned.

Mr. Wood is a philosopher and looks on the bright side of things. He said to The Sun reporter that when he got the news of the fire he feared it was the mill itself and he felt that the company was fortunate that the main buildings were saved. The stock and building were well insured but the loss, beyond the amount of insurance, will be heavy.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to be due to spontaneous combustion. The fire was discovered by the night watchmen, Messrs. Jackson and Shanks, and they notified two of the mill firemen. While the watchmen and the firemen were searching for the fire on the second floor it broke out in the basement, and despite the fact that the mills are equipped with good fire fighting apparatus, and good facilities, the firemen soon realized that they would not be able to cope with the blaze that was licking its way from the basement to the upper floors.

SPRINKLERS AT WORK.

The building was supplied with automatic sprinklers, and although they did all that could be expected of them they made but little impression upon the fire that had found good fuel in the stock on hand and the Lowell fire department was telephoned to. That was at 12.50 a. m. and the Lowell department responded with engine number five and hose wagon from Pawtucketville and hose eight from Merrimack street. The fire is still smouldering and two lines of hose belonging to the company are in operation.

WALLS ARE STANDING.

The walls of the building are standing but the floors have fallen and a slow fire is smouldering in the ruins. The building was erected in the fall of 1901 and took the place of the old wooden and stone building that was burned in the month of April, 1900. The firemen who responded to the fire this morning were the men who responded to the call for help when the old mill burned. The building where the fire occurred last night is situated on the opposite side of the street from the mills proper. The building fronts on the street and extends as far back as the falls.

The fire last night was not attended by any serious accidents but there were some narrow escapes. When the roof went in and the floors gave way bricks were hurled into the street and large pieces of the coping fell landing near the firemen. One of the company's firemen was hit by a brick but was not seriously injured.

The Lowell department remained on the ground until 10 o'clock. The fire was then under perfect control and an official of the mill told Assistant Engineer Norton that there was no need for him or his men to remain any longer. He thanked the assistant chief for the splendid assistance the Lowell department had rendered and said, "You will hear from us later."

Daniel S. Hannigan had three fingers of his left hand caught in a saw while at work at Platt's wood yard in Whipple street yesterday. Four stitches were required to close the cuts at the Emergency hospital.

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LATEST

FARMERS' DINNER

Closing Day of the Middlesex North Fair

The third day of the fair under the auspices of the Middlesex North Agricultural Association did not bring out the attendance which was expected. There is no doubt in the minds of the public or the management but that the attendance would have been a record breaker today but for the threatening weather during the early hours of the morning, and the light drizzling rain later on in the day. The management of the fair looked forward with fond anticipations for fair weather today, for this was to be the red-letter day of the fair.

The principal feature of the day was the farmers' dinner, which always attracts a good number who like to enjoy one of those old-fashioned farmers' dinners and also listen to good speaking. The dinner was served at noon. Then again the horse races, together with the unfinished 2.30 class were scheduled to be run off. There was also on the list a double balloon ascension and parachute jump, together with a fine vaudeville show. This program would undoubtedly have attracted thousands of people to the grounds, but the weather clerk did not follow out the program ordered by the officials, and the rain tendered to mar the success of the day to a considerable extent.

The gates at the grounds were thrown open at eight o'clock this morning and a half hour later the entries for family matched horses and roadsters and travellers was closed. The trial of these horses was called at eleven o'clock on the track.

Prizes were awarded to stallions for driving purposes, family horses, family matched horses, roadsters and travellers, no horse having a track record being allowed to compete.

THE MATHEWS

INVITE MR. JOHN H. HARRINGTON TO DELIVER LECTURE.

Mr. John H. Harrington, publisher of The Sun, has accepted the invitation of the Mathew Temperance Institute to address the members some evening next month. The committee in charge of the course of lectures arranged for the season requested Mr. Harrington to speak to the institute on his recent trip through Europe and an entertaining and instructive lecture is anticipated by the young men of the Mathews.

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OBSCENE CARDS

Post Office Inspectors Wage Campaign Against Them

The postoffice inspectors throughout New England have received orders to begin a determined and aggressive campaign against the distribution of objectionable postal cards with which the offices have been burdened particularly during the summer months. At the Boston office today between four and five thousand of these cards were burned and it is announced that numerous prosecutions will follow if satisfactory evidence can be secured by the inspectors.

LACEY RETURNS

Missing Man Turns Up Again

HAD BEEN MISSING SINCE SUNDAY

Left Home After a Quarrel

Michael Lacey, the young husband who disappeared from his home in Lawrence street, on Sunday afternoon after a disagreement with his wife, turned up again today all safe and sound. He states that he has been visiting relatives in Worcester.

MISSING BOY

LEFT HOME IN RUTLAND, MASS.

The police have been asked to look for 15-year-old Burbee E. Vince, who disappeared from his home in Rutland, Mass., on Sept. 7. He was four feet nine inches in height, dark eyes and hair, dark coat and pants. He wore a black cap.

"TOM" McCARTHY HOME.

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, the well-known piccolo player, has returned from the White Mountains, where he filled a summer engagement with the Profile house orchestra, A. B. Stockbridge, manager. The following program will give one an idea of the calibre of the music heard at the Profile house:

March, from The Serenade ......Herbert
Overture, Crown Diamonds ....Auber
Flute solo, Serenade ....Popp
Mr. Thomas McCarthy.
Selection, Woodland ....Luders
Gavotte Anglaise, Wigs and Ruffles, ... Sudds
Galop, Eagle Cliff ....Hoffman

PRINTERS' STRIKE.

The strike of the book and job printers of Lowell for the eight-hour day is still on. The press committee announced today that F. A. M. Tobin had signed the eight-hour day contract.

HELD IN $2,000.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Sept. 15.—Mathew de Grey Ripon, Wm. P. White, Wm. H. McMullen and Michael J. Ryan, four members of the Municipal league, were in court today to answer to the charge of conspiracy for the purpose of obtaining money from five hotel keepers of this city for violation of the liquor law. The cases were continued until next Thursday and the defendants held in $2,000 each.

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INCREASE DUES

Action Taken by the Machinists

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Upon the recommendation of the committee on laws of the union, the delegates to the International Association of Machinists today voted almost unanimously to increase the minimum dues in all lodges, increase the per capita tax and also the apprentices' per capita tax. During the day, the committee was sent to call upon the delegates of the Elevator Constructors' union at its convention in Rathbone hall for the purpose of discussing matters which will be of mutual interest to the unions.

AN INQUIRY

INTO THE CAUSE OF WORCESTER ACCIDENT.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Investigation into the recent fatal trolley accident at Hammer Rock Hill on the Worcester & Southbridge street railway by which two persons lost their lives, was begun by the railroad commissioners today. Neither motorman Leete nor Conductor McLaughlin of the car was able to be present. Nine witnesses were sworn. Albert H. Superner, a motorman on the Worcester & Southbridge road, who was in the vestibule with Motorman Leete when the accident happened, testified that the night was foggy and they could not see very far ahead. He thought the car at the time it struck the curve where it left the track, was running at about 18 miles an hour.

MARTIAL LAW

COMMITTEE WILL DEMAND IT BE ABOLISHED.

TOKIO, Sept. 15.—5.30 p. m.—The committee of the lower house of the diet which has been investigating the recent disturbances will have an interview with Premier Katsura tomorrow when the committee will demand the abolition of martial law and will also organize a special committee of inquiry into police outrages.

The bar association is memorializing the government for the abolition of martial law.

The president and vice-president of the lower house of the diet will go to Yokohama tomorrow to meet Secretary Taft.

$20,000 BAIL

BROKER BROWN ARRAIGNED IN COURT.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Harry Clifford Brown, the broker who was arrested yesterday on a charge of forgery, was arraigned in the municipal court today. He was held for a further hearing Sept. 20, bail being fixed at $20,000, in default of which he was returned to jail.

Brown is charged with raising two certificates each representing one share of the Boston & Albany railroad, to twenty shares, and using the certificates as securities on notes upon which he is alleged to have raised $8,000.

AGREED ON RATES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Aside from a few details representatives from the trunk lines, western roads to gulf ports and interested steamship companies yesterday reached a final agreement on sugar and coffee rates. The new schedule will take effect Oct. 7 and was extensive advances to all western and southern points.

The sugar rate war has been in progress the past three years and was one of the most bitter and costly ever known in railroad circles.

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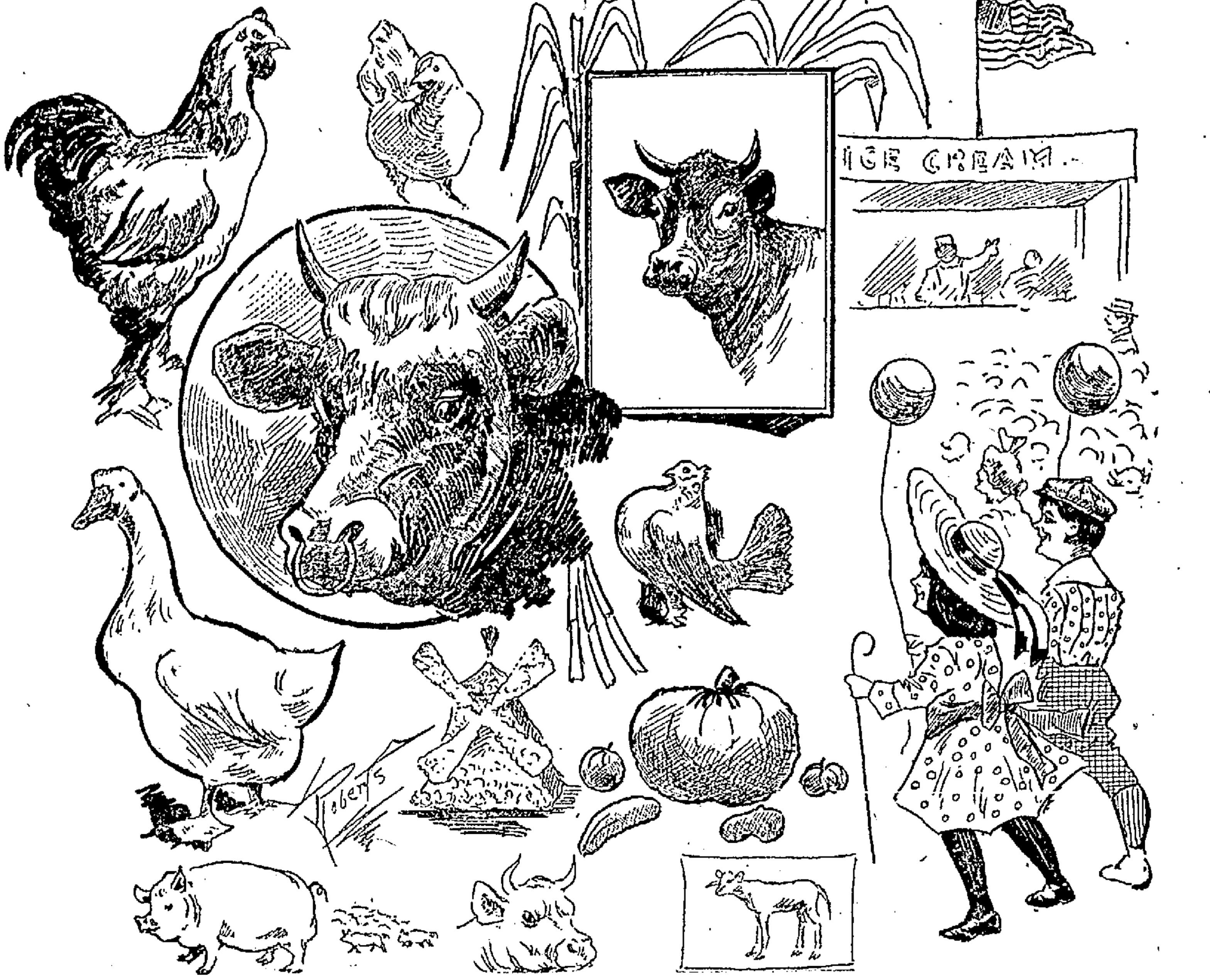

SKETCHES AT THE MIDDLESEX NORTH FAIR YESTERDAY

SUICIDE PACT

Miss Thompson Took Carbolic Acid

MARION, Ind., Sept. 15.—In carrying out her part of a suicide compact, entered into with her friend, Cleo Baugher, who committed suicide at Muncie, a month ago, Miss Chloe Thompson, 17 years old, swallowed a large quantity of arsenic today and died from the poisoning. Like Miss Baugher, Miss Thompson took the poison while on the street.

THE GOVERNOR

TALKED OVER IRISH AFFAIRS WITH REDMOND.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—Wm. H. K. Redmond, M. P., today called on Gov. Wm. L. Douglas at the state house and conversed with the governor upon affairs in Ireland. Gov. Douglas inquired particularly about the working of the Irish land act and expressed his pleasure that good progress was being made in the work to which Mr. Redmond has devoted his life.

During the day Mr. Redmond called at the city hall and formally expressed to Acting Mayor Whelton his own and the Irish party's sorrow at the death of Mayor Collins.

DR. STARR

WILL VISIT THE SAVAGE TRIBES OF CENTRAL AFRICA.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Prof. Frederick Starr, the University of Chicago anthropologist, has been granted a leave of absence of more than a year by the officials of the university, which time he will spend among the savage tribes of central Africa. He will leave Chicago tomorrow and expects to sail from New York next Monday.

As the region which he expects to visit is under the control of Belgium, he will go first to Antwerp to make arrangements with the Belgium authorities, which will enable him to penetrate that region under the Congo protocol. He expects to reach Bona at the mouth of the Congo about Oct. 19 and will go overland to the jungles of Ndombi, where he will live with the natives for a year. His headquarters will be 1100 miles from the sea and the only white man who will be with him will be his American photographer.

TYPHOID GERMS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The possibility of purifying water from typhoid fever germs by the introduction of copper solutions at city water works station was discussed at today's session of the N. E. Water Works' Association convention. Prof. Henry Kramer of Philadelphia read a paper on the "Germicidal properties of metallic copper." He said copper in water would destroy typhoid germs. Prof. Herbert E. Smith of New Haven, Conn., said that it was possible for copper when used to purify water to cause poisoning, but "that when drunk in small amounts for long periods there would be no ill effects.

J. W. Ellms of Cincinnati considered copper an invaluable water purifier, but D. D. Jackson of Brooklyn disagreed with him.

Prof. H. W. Clark of Boston gave statistical results of the application of copper sulphate at the filtration plants in Massachusetts. No gain in the destruction of baccailli was shown by the use of the copper, he said, but rather the reverse.

THE RECEIVER

Given the Charge of $10,000 in Certificates

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The title to $16,000 of certificates of deposit issued by the American National and the First National banks to George E. Stillings, an officer of the Preferred Mercantile Co. of Boston, now serving a sentence in jail for contempt, was declared by Judge Morton in the supreme court today to belong to Burrage P. Cray as receiver of the company. George E. Stillings obtained these certificates in his own name with funds which belonged to the company and the discovery of this fact was made by the receiver while the contempt proceedings were pending against George and his brother, Guy C. Stillings, who is now in jail with him. Judge Loring several weeks ago ordered the certificates placed in Mr. Gray's custody to await the determination of the question of their ownership.

POISONED

TOADSTOOLS WERE TAKEN FOR MUSHROOMS.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Toadstools eaten for mushrooms nearly caused the deaths this morning of Mr. and Mrs. Antoni Budnick and their three children at Chester, Orange county. Mr. Budnick is a farmer. This morning a neighbor passing the Budnick home failed to see any signs of life about the place, and thinking it strange, investigated. After forcing an entrance to the house the neighbor found the entire family ill. Dr W. W. Davis of Chester was called and found all in a dangerous condition from poisoning and worked over them for hours before they were out of danger. The Budnick family have mushrooms daily and it was through the young children innocently gathering some toadstools and mixing them with the mushrooms that the poisoning occurred.

HELD IN $5000.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 15.—Charles S. Freyer, who was arrested Thursday at Riverside as a fugitive from justice from New York, was arraigned in the district court this morning. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $5000 for a hearing Sept. 26. He was unable to furnish bail and was committed.

EMPEROR'S GIFT.

ROME, Sept. 15.—The German Emperor has sent Foreign Minister Tittoni $2000 for the Calabria earthquake victims.

King Victor Emmanual is continuing his trip through the stricken towns.

The observatory at Florence reports that the instruments there recorded constant seismic disturbances from 3 p. m. yesterday until 10 a. m. today. At 7.17 a. m. the instruments recorded a powerful shock having an extended radius.

GRANT FARM SOLD.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 15.—A deal was concluded yesterday whereby the old Grant farm in St. Louis county, a short distance west from the city limits, for many years the home of Pres. Ulysses Grant will be converted into an amusement park next year. The tract comprises about 440 acres of land and the purchase price was $113,-000.

BANKER FERRIS

Placed Under Arrest at Swanton

SWANTON, Vt., Sept. 15.—A. J. Ferris, former president of the People's National bank of Swanton, now in the hands of a receiver, was arrested here today on the charge of misappropriating two notes from the bank by means of false entries made on Sept. 20, 1902. The notes both were signed by F. H. Mead, one being for $296.88, the other for $414. Ferris was taken by United States Deputy Marshal Reeves, who made the arrest, to Burlington, where he was arraigned before clerk of the United States court, George E. Johnson. He was held in $2000 bonds, which he furnished for a later hearing, the date of which was not fixed. Ferris then left Burlington, intending, he said, to go to Boston, where he resides during the winter months.

SHERRICK HELD

State Auditor Accused of Embezzlement

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 15.—David E. Sherrick, auditor of state, was registered at the police station today charged with embezzlement of the state's funds. He waived examination and is to be bound over to the grand jury under heavy bond. Because of the large number of cases before him, in police court, Judge Whallon postponed the hearing as to the amount of Sherrick's bond until 2 o'clock this afternoon. In the meantime Sherrick is under the guard of a detective. At the police station today were several friends of Sherrick. It was expected that the bond would be arranged.

Sherrick was arrested at his home early this morning on affidavit filed by Detective Lowe. The prisoner looked haggard. He refused to talk concerning the case, referring all inquiries to his attorney, Addison C. Harris who was with him at the station.

After Sherrick's resignation, which was sent to Governor Hanley, yesterday afternoon, was accepted and Warren Biglow, of Wabash, had accepted the appointment to the vacancy, the auditor's office was closed for the afternoon and not opened until this morning.

Investigation of the securities which were placed in the hands of the governor tends to show that they are of sufficient value to protect the state if taken with the $100,000 bond of the American Surety company.

DIXON ELECTED.

BELFAST, Ireland, Sept. 16.—Sir Daniel Dixon, Unionist, has been elected to parliament vice Sir James Haslett, deceased, by a majority of 474 over William Walker, labor party. The United Irish League supported Sir Daniel, who is a privy councillor for Ireland, former Lord Mayor of Belfast, and a prominent ship owner and timber merchant.

Mrs. Thomas Foody and Mrs. T. Gray have returned from City Point, South Boston, where they spent the summer.

BODY IDENTIFIED

Suicide Is a West Medford Girl

STORY TOLD BY HER FATHER

Gives Reason for Her Rash Act

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Lorenzo D. Berry, a carpenter of West Medford, Mass., today identified as that of his daughter Ella, the body of the young woman who committed suicide on Wednesday in the Hotel Manhattan. His son, Elmer Berry, pronounced the body that of his sister. After making the identification, the father and son sought Coroner Scholer to secure a permit to take the girl's body back to her home in West Medford for burial.

"The newspapers have done all this," said the father when he was able to control his grief. "My daughter, who was a pure and modest girl, was a stenographer in her home town. A year ago a Boston newspaper published a story that she had run away with a married man. The next day it turned out that she had merely gone on her vacation alone and that she had nothing to do with the married man named in the story who had disappeared. The newspaper printed a retraction but that did not help my daughter's feelings. The injury done to her was great and she never recovered from it. She grew more and more down-hearted and morose and this (pointing to the coffin in which her body lay) is what that cruel, false, malicious story has brought her to."

Mr. Berry said that his daughter had left her home on Tuesday last, coming to New York on the Fall River line steamer. He said that he received a telegram from her Wednesday morning but he refused to say what were its contents. She registered at the Manhattan hotel Wednesday afternoon under the name of "A. A. Wildey of Washington, D. C." and that night killed herself with poison and pistol, leaving the note to the effect that her body would be called for.

"Wherever my daughter would go," said Mr. Berry, "it would seem as if somebody was ready to point to her as a girl who had been mixed up in a disgraceful affair. Then she went away from home to seek employment in other cities. She would be a short time in a place when the story would reach the ears of her employers and she would be told that she could not remain. This happened several times until my child could not bear it any longer."

Elmer Berry, the dead girl's brother, said that a letter had been received by the family from the girl in which they were notified by her that she had decided to put an end to it.

"I cannot bear this false stain upon my character," she wrote to her father. "I see nothing left for me to do than to kill myself. Please forgive me and believe that I would not do this thing if it were not that I am nearly out of my mind with grief and horror at the awful story which everybody seems to think is true."

When Mr. Berry saw Coroner Scholer, he told more details of the events which led up to his daughter's suicide. She was employed, he said, as a stenographer by the A. L. Picard company, electricians, of Boston. About a year ago, he said, Mr. Picard was committed to an insane asylum but did not stay there long. He was released by a court order. During the time he was in the asylum, Miss Berry was in charge of the business. Mr. Picard returned to his office after his release from the asylum. He committed suicide in June last. His family took charge of his affairs and Miss Berry lost her place. The story was printed in the newspapers and made a scandal but the girl's father declared that the attacks upon her reputation were wholly unjustifiable. He said also that the newspapers finally justified her. The publicity so affected Miss Berry, however, that she became despondent and would not be cheered. On Sept. 1, her mother hoping to divert her mind, took her to Hampton Beach, N. H. They returned to West Medford on the 12th. The next day Miss Berry left home and then her sister in West Medford received a letter from her, written in New York, telling them that she intended to kill herself. Soon after that came the news of her suicide in the Hotel Manhattan.

Mr. Berry reiterated his statement that the charges against his daughter were false and without foundation.

LATTAMORE DROWNED.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Jos. Lattamore, who has been head rubber for the Northwestern university athletic teams for the last eight years, was drowned yesterday in Spring lake near Waukesha, Wis., where the candidates for the team are practising. Lattamore began his career training athletes twelve years ago at the University of Pennsylvania, under George Woodruff.

NO RETALIATORY DUTIES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 15.—The Imperial Ukase abolishing the retaliatory duties on American imports was gazetted this morning and was placed into immediate effect at all the customs houses by telegraphic orders today from the ministry of finance.

Frank J. Murphy of Walker street, graduate of High school, 1905, left Wednesday for Holy Cross college, Worcester, to resume his studies.

Mrs. Joseph Pattee, wife of City Messenger Pattee, returned home today after a two weeks stay at the Profile House, Franconia Notch, N. H.

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GIVEN 25 YEARS

Man Was Convicted of a Serious Charge

NORWICH, Conn., Sept. 15.—Fred Pepowlle, who has a wife and several children, the eldest 22 years and the youngest 15 months, was sentenced to 25 years in state prison today. His crime was that of felonious assault upon his 13-year-old daughter. Pepowlle after being found guilty by the jury was placed in a cell to await sentence. By use of his necktie he suspended himself from the cell door and was cut down just in time to save his life.

TOOK THE OATH

Daniel Whelton Mayor of Boston

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The funeral of Mayor Patrick A. Collins will be held Monday. Unless there is a change in the wishes of the family the body will not lie in state as had been suggested, though the funeral exercises will be public. It is probable that services will be held at the Roman Catholic cathedral of the Holy Cross, the largest edifice of that denomination in Boston. The body will be buried at Holyhood cemetery, Brookline, by the side of that of his mother and not far from the resting place of his life-long friend, John Boyle O'Reilly.

Mrs. Collins, the widow of the mayor, received today several hundred telegrams and other messages of condolence from various parts of the country and many from abroad.

Acting upon the call of Mayor Daniel A. Whelton, both branches of the city council met at noon today to take action upon the death of Mayor Collins, while the school committee, summoned into session by President John A. Brett, also assembled to take appropriate action.

Daniel A. Whelton, chairman of the board of aldermen, and who by a provision of the city charter, assumes the duties of mayor, took the oath of office at noon today. The oath was administered by corporation counsel Babson. Mr. Whelton will be legally known as the "Acting Mayor" and will serve as chief magistrate until a successor to Mayor Collins is selected at the regular election next December.

Wm. H. K. Redmond, M. P., will remain in this city until after the funeral of Mayor Collins. A trip down the harbor had been planned for Mr. and Mrs. Redmond today but Mr. Redmond cancelled the engagement because of the death of his friend.

At the meeting of the city council today, Acting-Mayor Whelton officially notified the members of Mayor Collins' death. He spoke of him as "a type of self-made man, than whom none was higher, whose record glittera with brilliant achievement in a setting of stainless and rugged character."

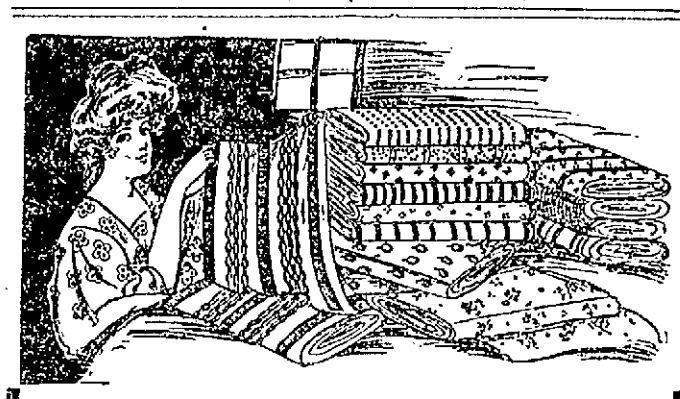
The members then adopted the following resolutions:

"Resolved, That the city council have learned with deep sorrow of the sudden death of Mayor Patrick A. Collins, a sorrow felt keenly by all who knew him in public and private life.

"The example he set of noble manhood and his achievement may well be imitated by the youth of our country. Starting as a poor boy in a foreign land, undergoing severe hardships in order to obtain the education he desired, he became by his indomitable will and force of character a commanding figure in national, state and city affairs.

"A man of unswerving honesty, of high ability, of absolute fearlessness, sincerity and directness, whose motives and actions throughout a long and useful career were never even questioned, his life will long remain an inspiration to his fellow citizens, his life and achievements are a striking illustration of what may be accomplished in our country by courage and determination in the face of apparently overwhelming odds.

"Resolved, That we tender our respectful sympathy to the family of the deceased, joining with them in their sorrow."



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Basement Department

TWO CASES FRUIT OF THE LOOM COTTON—One yard wide, lengths from 2 to 30 yards in a piece, 8c YARD.
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SPECIAL IN TOWELS, 4 for 25c. Good size, all white.

Basement

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400 DOZEN SHEETS, price 39c each.
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LOWEST PRICES—GOOD LIGHT—AND NO WAITING.

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AFTER GOULD

RAMSEY MAY DISPUTE HIS CONTROL OF ROAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Joseph Ramsey, formerly president of the Wabash railroad, has issued a public statement in which he asks stockholders of the road for proxies in his name for use at the annual election of directors to be held at Toledo, Ohio, on Oct. 10. From the wording of this statement, says the Herald, it is believed an attempt is being made to dispute the control of the property with George J. Gould. The serious contemplation of any such attempt, however, is denied in railroad circles as it is stated to be the policy of the Goulds to retain 40 per cent. of the stock of their properties, so that in the event of a contest it would be no great effort for them to maintain a controlling interest.

George J. Gould is at his summer home in the Catskills and the chief executives of his various railroad properties had all left the city when Mr. Ramsey's statement appeared.

It was semi-officially stated only recently that Mr. Gould expected to become the active head of the Wabash railway system to succeed Mr. Ramsey.

BREWERIES

ABANDON THE PLAN TO COMBINE.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 15.—A project which had for its object the consolidation of the breweries of Providence and Fall River has been abandoned, according to a letter received by the stockholders of the several companies today.

Five companies were involved in the proposed combine, four in this city, one in Pawtucket and four in Fall River and a New York syndicate was engaged in the matter. According to an officer of one of the companies a number of stockholders made prohibitory demands for their holdings and this resulted in the decision of the various companies to abandon the project.

COUNT DEAD

HE WAS A WELL KNOWN EXPLORER.

PARIS, Sept. 16—The minister of the colonies today received a cable dispatch from the governor of French West Africa announcing the death of Count de Brazza, the explorer, whose serious illness at Dakar was announced in these dispatches yesterday. The minister notified Countess de Brazza saying that France had lost one of her most glorious citizens. President Loubet also telegraphed his condolences to the countess.

Count de Brazza was returning from a special mission to Central Africa to investigate charges of cruelty against natives when he was attacked and cut by a sentry which was aggravated by the fatigues of the voyage and he became unconscious and died.

$200,000 LOSS

BIG FURNITURE HOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 15.—Lightning struck the Hax-Smith Furniture company's wholesale house during a severe electrical storm today, and it was totally destroyed. Loss $200,000, one-third on buildings, fully insured.

DROPPED DEAD

ENGINEER WAS ABOUT TO APPLY THE BRAKES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Engineer Merritt Turner droped dead in the cab of his engine early today just as he was about to apply the brakes and stop the Erie R. R.'s Chicago train known as the Pacific express at Deposit, N. Y. The fireman who had seen the engineer sink to the floor, stopped the train at its schedule place. A physician said Turner had died of heart disease.

AFTER GEORGE

HE IS WANTED IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The federal authorities announced today that Chas. E. George, who is under arrest here charged with using mails for fraudulent purposes, is wanted in New Hampshire where he has ben indicted on a similar complaint. The New Hampshire charge is based upon an alleged plan of George to procure money from residents of that state as consideration for collecting their bills, a service which it is claimed he did not perform. It is stated that also in 1893 George was convicted and fined by the federal district court of Vermont for fraudulently making use of the mails.

LORD ROBERTS

HAS POSTPONED HIS VISIT TO AMERICA.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts' visit to America has been postponed and will not occur this year. Lord Roberts had just received an invitation to address the annual meeting of the board of trade while in New York but he has replied regretting that he is compelled to postpone his visit on account of official and other engagements not permitting him to leave England at the time he expected to cross the Atlantic.

SWEET CORN DAMAGED.

PORTLAND, Maine, Sept. 15—While the predicted frost did not occur in this city this morning, the inland points report a severe frost and a minimum temperature of 30 degrees.

The only farm product seriously damaged was the sweet corn

HIS THROAT CUT

Body of Man Found in River

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The finding of the body of an unknown young man with his throat cut in several places in the Charles river today indicted the police to start an investigation. The body had apparently been in the water for several days. It was apparently that of a sailor of about 28 years old. The medical examiner will perform an autopsy.

THE ROGERS CASE

Attorney General Wants an Early Trial

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Sept. 15.—Sheriff Henry Peck, of Windsor county and Supt. Wm. S. Lovell of the Vermont state prison announced today that Attorney General Clark C. Fitz would file a motion with the U. S. supreme court today asking that the case of Mary M. Rogers convicted of the murder of her husband, be set ahead for a hearing at the earliest convenience of the justices. Mary Rogers' case was carried to the supreme court on a writ of habeas corpus and the allegation that the woman's constitutional rights had been violated. The arguments in the motion filed today state that the petitioners present no federal question and that the due course of justice in the state of Vermont requires that the case be disposed of at the earliest possible time. It is further stated that under the constitution of the state further reprieve by the governor is doubtful and that under the statutes no new sentence of death can be imposed to take effect until after the first day of January, 1907, and therefore if this case is not heard and disposed of before December 6, 1905, there must result long delay in carrying out the penalty imposed by the law for the crime of which the appellant stands convicted.

FAIR TRIAL

ALL THAT IS DEMANDED IN ALBERS' CASE.

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 15.—A misapprehension has arisen as to the action of the government in the case of Wm. C. Albers and his brother, who are American citizens and are in prison at Ocatel, Nicaragua. It is said here by authority of Pres. Roosevelt, that no demonstration against Nicaragua is to be made at this time.

It appears from official correspondence that the Albers brothers are under arrest at Ocatel for an alleged violation of the law of Nicaragua and for contempt of court. Their trial will take place soon. The various phases of the case have been presented to this government and the president directed that the usual steps be taken to insure the prisoners fair treatment at their trial.

U. S. Consul Lee at Panama will be directed by the state department to go from Panama to Ocatel to be present at the trial.

His instructions are to see that the Albers have a fair trial. The government assumes that the men will get impartial treatment, but if they do not any action of this government toward Nicaragua will be determined upon when any unfairness shall have been disclosed.

U. S. Minister W. M. Merry, accredited to Nicaragua and Costa Rica will not go to Ocatel. He is in Costa Rica at present and probably will remain there for a time. Consul Lee will leave Panama on the gunboat Princeton as the easiest and quickest way of making the trip. It can be said that no reason existed for cloaking the action of this government in secrecy as the proceedings directed by the president simply were taken to insure ordinary protection and fair treatment to American citizens.

NEW CHIEF

NEW YORK MAN TO HEAD PANAMA POLICE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Policeman George Jimenez of this city has been appointed chief of police of Panama. He was so notified yesterday by Consul General Amador. He is the second chief of police selected from the New York police force for the republic of Panama. The first, former Detective Sergeant Davis, died of yellow fever after a short stay on the isthmus. Jimenez is a Spaniard and does not fear the disease.

FORCED OPEN

DOORS OF CARMELITE CONVENT BROKEN DOWN.

PARIS, Sept. 15—The Little Carmelite sisters having resisted expulsion, the doors of their convent were forced open this morning and the institution was closed. The sisters left the city.

MELLIN'S For the Baby FOOD

The adjustability of Mellin's Food is one of its good points. Mellin's Food can be adjusted and is suitable to the needs of the youngest infant as well as children of the more advanced age. It only takes a minute to prepare it as there is no cooking necessary. Send for a free sample.

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ALL PENNED IN

Prisoners are Herded Like Cattle

BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept 16. A report blending the conditions in the county jail in this city to "the jails in which the much-abused Russians are confined in their own country" was submitted yesterday by a committee which has been conducting an investigation at the institution. That these young in the school of crime are herded with the hardened and vicious is only one of the discoveries made.

The jail has 40 cells and, according to the report, the records show that 53 prisoners were confined there at one time. The inmates were crowded two in a cell, some occupied hammocks in the corridors, and when this space was used up many were obliged to sleep on the floor. The committee reported that conditions in the woman's small department were no better than those found in the department provided for the men. A new jail is recommended. The report is as follows:

"We have examined the county jail and found it in a shameful condition. The men's department consists of the cage, in which there are 10 cells, in each of which are two narrow hammock beds, one above the other. These cells are surrounded by an open corridor. Today it is occupied by 24 male prisoners, 20 single beds for 21 men. Our sheriff tells us that he has had as many as 36 men at one time. The women's department, which is up stairs, consists of five cells, and in that part we found, as occupants, two women and three men. We found the jail fairly clean, but the atmosphere, especially in the men's part, was foul and nauseating.

"In this 15-cell jail as many as 53 prisoners have been confined at one time. There is no convenience for the sick, who, with those young in the school of crime, or those charged with minor offences, and those arrested upon civil process, are herded with the hardened and vicious.

"The jail is so arranged that the sheriff and his family cannot escape from all the vile conversation and noises peculiar to such an institution. Some of us have read how prisoners are treated in Russia and Siberia, but we think that sympathy for misused prisoners may well begin at home, right in Chittenden county, Vermont. We cannot find words severe enough to describe the condition found, but wish to condemn the building, which is utterly unfit for such a purpose.

"H. H. WHEELER, Foreman."

GOT SIX MONTHS

TYNGSBORO HEN THIEF SENTENCED YESTERDAY.

Joseph J. Keeley, an old offender, was sentenced by Judge Stevens in the Middlesex superior court, at East Cambridge, yesterday, to states prison for not less than three nor more than four years, the first day to be solitary confinement, for breaking and entering O'Donnell's drug store on Cambridge street, Cambridge, on the night of March 10 and stealing several hundred cigars.

In the same court August Kilin, alias Steven Summers, was given two years in the house of correction for stealing tools valued at $75, the property of Silas Morash and W. H. Rice of Hammond street, Cambridge.

James Beney pleaded guilty to breaking and entering, and stealing six hens and a wheelbarrow from Dudley S. Page of Tyngsboro, June 9. He was given six months at hard labor at the house of correction.

Edward Gleason received a sentence of two years in the house of correction for stealing a watch in Watertown and Thomas Brown, for illegal liquor keeping, paid a fine of $50.

The jury in the case of Joseph Elwood of Boston, charged with breaking and entering the drug store of Dr. Saunders, Cambridge street, near Fifth street, in June, was found guilty.

Bradford G. Stockton, a furniture dealer and piano mover of Cambridge, was found guilty by a jury of an assault on Lorena, the 11-year-old daughter of George Roffe of 76 Clarke street, Cambridge, Aug. 29. He will be sentenced Monday.

On the stand Stockton said that the little girl was in his yard taking an armful of his wood, and he called to her to drop it, which she did and ran toward her home. He said he picked up a stick of wood and chased her, and that while she was climbing through the window he hit her with the stick three times. He accounted for her torn clothing by saying it might have been caused when he grabbed her.

Stockton has a long record of arrests, on charges of assault and battery, drunkenness and keeping a disorderly house.

BODY FOUND

MAN'S HEAD STUCK FAST IN MUD.

ALBANY, Sept. 16.—A man was seen to jump from the New York Central railroad Maiden Lane bridge into the river on Monday. He did not come to the surface. The man fell head first with such force that his head and shoulders were embedded firmly in the muddy river bottom. This was learned today when the body, with the aid of a drag, was pulled up feet first out of the mud. It proved to be that of John Guider, a railroad employee. He jumped through the open ties in an attempt to avoid a train.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

This coming week a special attraction is scheduled for the Academy of Music, and one which is positive to please everybody. It is the drama, "Jim Bludso," the play being founded on "The Pike County Ballads," by the late John Hay. This play was originally staged by Mr. Severin De Deyn, and that gentleman will play the title role next week. The scene of the drama is in the lowlands of Pike county, Missouri, where the people had to resort to the use of levees to keep the angry waters of the Mississippi river from breaking into and flooding their lands. "Jim Bludso," a rough, uncouth and ignorant, but good hearted fellow, is the hero. He is the engineer of the "Prairie Bell" which plys up and down the river. His little son, "Gabe," called "Little Breeches," is an interesting character and his father thinks the world of him. "Banty Tim," a negro, who is not wanted in Pike county, is a prominent character.

The piece is finely written and well staged. Tickets are now on sale at the box office. Popular prices as usual.

LOWELL HORSE

Poacherina Won Race at Concord

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 16.—The Concord fall came to a successful ending yesterday afternoon. The harness races monopolized the attention of yesterday's crowd. It took but one heat to decide the postponed 2.15 class trotting event, as Nancy Nelson took the pole at the turn and was never headed.

The postponed 2.20 event finally went to Lou Willes. At the conclusion of the race the judges announced that all pools and bets on the race were declared off, but gave no reason for the action.

Although it was won in straight heats the 2.25 trot was a rattling good contest, in which Chester W. Lasell's 4-year-old gelding Composed proved himself every inch a race horse.

The 2.25 pace was an easy straight heat victory for Owen Carney's mare Poacherina, and was her maiden victory.

The 2.18 pace furnished its share of the excitement. In the first heat the Boston pacer Budweiser broke his check rein at the upper turn and tried to turn a somersault, and in this he partially succeeded. He threw out Collins, his driver, and landed in a heap himself. Neither horse nor driver was seriously hurt. Mr. Linnehan, the horse's owner, decided that the hobbled pacer had raced enough for the day and drew him. After the second heat the judges unseated he drivers of Gen. Star and X-Ray. Tom Marsh was put up behind Gen. Starr and Walter Cox behind X-Ray. Cox gave the latter a mighty strenuous drive, but the winner of the first two heats, Melpomene, won the deciding one from X-Ray, by half a length in a whipping finish.

RECEPTION

TENDERED TO MR. AND MRS. STEPHEN J. KIRBY.

A very pleasant farewell reception was tendered last night to Mr. Stephen J. Kirby, for many years connected with the assessors' office, and his estimable wife, who are about to leave for California where they will reside with their daughter.

The reception took place at the home of Mrs. Titus on Merrill avenue and was given by friends from the Centralville M. E. church.

A fine program of music was given, consisting of the following selections: Piano solo, H. B. Stewart; song, Miss Titus; song, Mr. Worth; song, Miss Cluer; duet, Miss Titus and Mr. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby were presented with a dozen silver spoons by Mrs. Kirby's Sunday school class and the Ladies' Aid society of the church, the presentation speech being made by Rev. Dr. Whittaker.

After the musical program refreshments were served and a sociable evening was spent. Many regrets and wishes of success for the future were expressed and the party said good-night at a late hour.

Mrs. Kirby is the retiring president of the Ladies' Aid society and a very prominent worker of the Centralville M. E. church, where she will be greatly missed.

POLITICAL NOTES

Lists of delegates to a republican county convention were filed last evening at a meeting of all the republican ward committees held at republican headquarters.

No delegations had been filed by any candidates and the law provides in that event, that the ward committees shall file lists immediately. In wards 4, 5 and 9 lists were filed also for the representative conventions, ward 4 for the 25th and the other two for the 27th districts.

It was stated at headquarters that Louis P. Turcotte whose name appears on both lists filed for ward seven to the councillor convention desires to withdraw his name from the Fletcher delegation.

The list of delegates to the democratic state convention from ward four of this city are pledged to Gen. Nelson A. Miles for governor.

Fred H. Farnham, having heard reports to the effect that he is to withdraw from the mayoralty contest, states that he is in the contest to a finish.

Joe's opening social, Prescott hall, Sat. night. Music Hibbard's orchestra.

EXPORTS

BIG GROWTH IN OUR FOREIGN TRADE.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The exports of the United States for the first eight months of the calendar year exceeded those of the same period last year by $116,149,668, the total value reaching $966,353,025. The imports for the same months, valued at $770,345,809, show a comparative increase of $103,076,445. The foreign trade of the United States for that period was therefore $218,226,013 greater than in the corresponding months of 1904, and the balance of trade in favor of this country was $196,007,216, against $173,934,093, a gain of $12,073,123.

The imports of gold in the eight months amounted to $24,699,625, a comparative falling off of $39,754,010, and the exports aggregated $41,265,017, a decrease of $38,030,443, leaving a net gain of $723,667.

For the month of August the exports, amounting to $117,453,581, the largest ever reached for that month, exceeded those of August, 1904, by $25,199,700. The imports, aggregating $95,826,549, were $8,088,680 greater than last year. The gold exports for the month aggregated $274,153 only, against $10,762,818 in August of last year, and the imports were valued at $3,146,223, against $7,764,491 last year.

Miss Rose Hanlon is a student at the Lowell Commercial college.

Apitezo gives strength and rosy health

SOLOMON FINE

Alleged Counterfeiter Lived in Lowell

Solomon Fine, formerly of Lowell, his wife, Mabel, and Daniel Morrison, who were arrested in the west end, Boston, Thursday on a charge of making and passing counterfeit 25 and 50 cent pieces, and who were found at 62 Hawdoin street, were taken to police headquarters yesterday morning and photographed and measured for the rogues' gallery, after which they were turned over to the United States officials.

When Chief Watts had the prisoners before him Mrs. Fine said her maiden name was Carleton, that she is a native of Prince Edward Island, and was married last May to Fine in Boston. She is 18 years old.

Mrs. Fine accused Morrison to his face of having made the molds from which the coins were turned out, and also of having done all the work of making the bad money, which he gave to her husband to pass. She says she never passed any of the alleged money.

The police say that investigation has brought to light the fact that a very large amount of the bogus coins have been circulated in the west end.

SACRED CONCERT.

A sacred concert will be given at the Academy of Music Sunday afternoon and evening, Sept. 17. The concert will be conducted after the style of those held last year and which proved to be so popular with the theatre-going people of this city.

There will be a fine collection of moving pictures, prominent among which will be "Baffles the Dog," "Off for the Holidays," "Sleighing Party," and many others.

Daniel J. Sullivan, better known as "Gar Sully," who played with the Huntington-DeDoyn Stock company in this city last year, and who will make his initial appearance in "Jim Bludso," will be heard in connection with illustrated songs. He will sing "The Holy City" in connection with the moving pictures, illustrating that song; "Good Night, Beloved, Good Night," and "Only a Private."

The concerts are for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church, and the prices will be 10 and 20 cents in the afternoon and 10, 20 and 30 cents at night.

HAVE YOU TRIED

the new Quick Desserts that grocers are now selling? They are justly termed "Easy to Make" as all ingredients are in the package. Three complete products—

D-Zerta

Quick Pudding and D-Zerta Perfect Jelly Dessert at 10c. per package, and D-Zerta Ice Cream Powder, 2 packages for 25 cents. Five choice flavors of each. A trial will convince you how easy it is to have the finest desserts with no labor and little expense. Order to-day.

ELITE RINK

$10 Gold Piece Given Away

To the lady presenting the prettiest pillow for the "Elite cosy corner." Contest closes Saturday, Sept. 23.

Sessions from 10 a. m. until 11.30 p. m.
Telephone 1099.
Colonial Orchestra—Admission Free.

Business and Money

The Mass. Mut. Accident Association of 161 Devonshire street, Boston, is about to re-organize its agency force in Lowell and vicinity to sell its dollar a month industrial accident and health policy. The sales are everywhere enormous, and the right man can make big money. Address at once,

C. P. LYFORD,
Supt. of Agencies,
Richardson Hotel, Lowell, Mass.

CENTRALVILLE ROLLAWAY.

Open daily. Private lessons given to learners only in the forenoon from 10 to 12.
Afternoon session from 2 to 4.30.
Evening, 8 to 10.30.
Special for Saturday forenoon, children 15c, from 10 to 12.
Saturday evening, 7.15 to 9.15—9.30 to 11.30.
Ladies Free Downstairs.
NEW BOWLING ALLEYS AND POOL PARLORS.
Contest for prizes now on till Friday night at 10.30.
A prize for best bowler on duck pins.
A prize for best bowler on big pins.
A prize for best bowler on candle pins.
COR. WEST SIXTH AND ENNELL STREETS.

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After Labor Day skates will be FIFTEEN CENTS. TWO SESSIONS DAILY.
HIBBARD'S BAND.

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is now larger than that of any individual manufacturer in New England. The name R. G. Sullivan stamped on every cigar insures quality.

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TAKEN TO CANADA

Alfred Lavigne Takes Little George Martin

WITHOUT NOTIFYING BOY'S PARENTS

And Refuses to Send Him Back

Alfred Lavigne, who formerly ran a bakery on Middlesex street, recently sold his business and departed for Canada, taking with him 12-year-old George Martin, the son of George Martin, a Moody street baker, without the knowledge or consent of the boy's parents. He was located at Waterloo, P. Q., a few days ago, and the boy's parents immediately communicated with him, demanding the return of their son. In reply thereto, a letter has been received to the effect that the boy is better off than he would be with his parents, and that Lavigne has no intention of sending the little fellow back to the states.

Lawyer Guillet, acting for the boy's parents, will institute legal proceedings to get the boy back.

It seems that the boy was in the habit of hanging around Lavigne's shop, and sometimes spent the night there. Almost four months ago the boy remained away from home longer than usual, and the parents becoming alarmed, went to Lavigne's shop, where they learned that Lavigne had removed to Canada, taking the boy with him. Mr. Martin at once consulted J. B. Guillet, who, after some correspondence, located Lavigne and the boy at Waterloo, P. Q.

Mr. Guillet at once communicated with Lavigne, notifying him that he must restore the lad to his parents. In response he has received a letter, written on a sheet of legislative council notepaper, but signed unofficially by a name not known to the counsel. The writer of the letter states that Mr. Lavigne has told him the circumstances and goes on to say that the boy is on a farm, with the Lavigne family, that he is kindly treated and is much better off than he would be in the city, and that in the writer's opinion he ought to remain there.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to June 26, 1905. Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.47, w6.50, 7.01 7.21, 7.31, *7.48, x7.52, w*8.00, *8.07, w8.25, 9.33, w10.50, 11.07, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.47, *1.36, w2.25, 2.55, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, *4.07, 4.28, w5.05, 5.22, x5.40, *6.12, w6.15, 7.01, *7.31, 8.30, w9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.45, 8.48, 9.27, 10.30 a. m.; w12.10, 2.25, w2.35, 5.10, w5.30, *6.15, *7.31, w8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.31, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, w1.15, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.25, 3.15, w5.05, w6.15, w7.00, w9.30, wq11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.47, 2.25, 3.55, 5.03, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 3.55, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.25, n3.55, w5.05, 5.28, n7.00 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.25, 3.00, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth, and stations on York Beach R. R., 3.00 p. m., until Sept. 15, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, w1.1, 3.15, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m. (Does not connect for Old Orchard.)

For Lewiston, Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, w1.15, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 train does not run Saturdays) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland), on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at w1.15 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, *7.45, 11.07 a. m.; 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48, 10.30 a. m.; 2.25 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.01, 7.31, 7.48, 9.33, 11.07, a. m.; 1.36, 2.55, 4.28, 5.22 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.45, 9.20, 10.30 a. m.; 2.25, 5.10 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 2.01 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington and Hillsboro, 2.01 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Keene and Way Stations, 2.01 a. m.; 4.07 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 12.23 (to Nashua), 7.39, 9.01, *9.39, *9.50, *10.39 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, *1.39, *1.54, 3.40, (4.07 to Nashua), 5.34, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02, *10.39 a. m.; *12.09, 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.39, 9.39 a. m.; b*12.09, 1.39, 5.39, *8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.39, 9.39 a. m.; 1.39, 5.39, p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.00 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River, b10.39 a. m.; 1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont Line, *9.39 a. m.; *b12.09, *b8.19 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *b10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, 1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

References:
a Via Wakefield Junction.
* Express. b Daily.
q Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
w Via Western Division.
x Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junct.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
I. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

VESSEL ON FIRE

Fishing Schooner Had Perilous Trip

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Sept. 16.—With her cabin on fire and her gasolene tank in imminent danger of being ignited, the Gloucester fishing steamer Veda H. McKown, Captain Sol Jacobs, anchored in this harbor during last night. Three boat loads of sailors from the United States monitor Arkansas, which was at anchor nearby, went to the assistance of the steamer and the flames were finally extinguished. The interior of the cabin was badly burned and the captain and crew lost most of their personal effects.

The fire started when the vessel was off Plymouth, from a spark which fell into some gasolene which had been spilled on the cabin floor. From Plymouth to Wood End, the steamer was worked along, the crew making every effort to put out the fire. Off Wood End, it was decided that owing to the danger of an explosion of the tank, the majority of the crew should go ashore. Accordingly, all but Captain Jacobs and one other man took to the boats. The two men left aboard succeeded in bringing the McKown into Provincetown harbor, where they anchored and signalled for assistance to the monitor Arkansas. The flames were extinguished before they reached the tank.

Captain Jacobs said he would proceed to Gloucester today and make repairs there. The net tonnage of the Veda H. McKown is 83 and she carries a crew of 17 men.

KILLED BY CAR

Somerville Man Struck by a Trolley

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—An unidentified man about 45 years, and in whose pocket was found a card bearing the name "Erik Watson, 22 Somerville, Mass." was run down and killed by a trolley car in the Bowery early today. The other side of the card bore the name "E. Merrill." A witness of the accident declared that the motorman, after stopping the car, started it up again while the man's body lay under the wheels. The motorman disappeared.

ANNIVERSARY

OBSERVED BY THE O'DONNELL DRY GOODS COMPANY.

A year ago the O'Donnell Dry Goods company opened its doors to the public with an elegant and complete line of dry goods and now it is one of the most successful establishments in this city. The stunning display in their large show windows attracted every passerby as the exhibit was the finest ever seen in this city and reflects great credit on the window trimmer, Mr. John J. Boulger, who has become an expert in this line. In the interior of the store the same grand effect is carried out. The leading feature of course is the millinery display, which is very elaborate with picture hats and London and Parisian novelties as well as many beautiful creations of their own milliners. The cloak and suit department is the next in importance and attracted great attention. Mr. James A. Kelly bought largely in the New York markets of suits, coats and furs. This year the firm intends to make a specialty of furs and the prices will be within reach of everybody. It is said furs will be more popular than ever this winter, and with their large variety they will easily be the leaders in this line of goods. Their dress goods department is very large and the tendency is toward plain weaves in soft, subdued colors. Every new shade and weave from looms at home and abroad you will find. There are Muscovites, Prunella, Opaula, Henriettas, French Batiste, Cappetta, Phantom Checks, Poplins, Silk and Henrietta, Melrose, Panama, Silk and Wool Plaids, Tailor Suitings, Broadclothes, Checked Worsted and kindred fabrics in a full series of new shades, including Burgundy, Bronze, Leaf Green, Olive, Plum, Smoke and many other shades.

All the departments such as the lace, ribbon and gents' furnishings are complete in stock and add much to the general display.

In the basement the china and domestic utensils are on sale, and the glass and silverware made this also a very attractive department. This domestic department is on the ground floor of the Fellows building on Middle street and is perhaps the largest and most complete department of the kind in this city. Comforters, blankets, table linen and everything you might ask for in the domestic line can be found here. To add to the attraction the Middlesex orchestra discoursed sweet music all the afternoon. The opening was a grand success in every particular. Miss Curran who has charge of the millinery department and her many assistants were busy receiving orders. Mr. Kelly and Mrs. Henry with a number of assistants were receiving orders for coats and garments, and the whole establishment appeared to be doing a prosperous business.

STREET LIGHTING

Committee Takes Up Competitive Tests

The committee on street lighting, Aldermen Carmichael and Fairweather, met last night and listened to suggestions and arguments relative to the proposed scheme of competitive demonstration in street lighting between the Lowell Gas Co. and the Lowell Electric Light Co. Aldermen Allen and Rourke of the committee on wires were present and the lighting companies were represented by counsel, William H. Bent for the Lowell Electric Light Co., Frank E. Dunbar for the Lowell Gaslight Co., and John C. Burke for the Cleveland Lighting company.

Manager Wilcox of the Lowell Electric Light corporation was among those present and joined in the discussion of competitive lighting.

Mr. Dunbar, in regard to the proposed competitive exhibition, stated the willingness of his company to enter the competition side by side with the electrics, the light burning at alternate hours, if necessary indefinitely, and favored Westford street or upper Moody street for the exhibition.

When Alderman Carmichael asked "What about the Cleveland company?" Mr. Dunbar said he did not consider it a matter of competition of two gas companies, but between the local gas company and the Electric Light company.

Manager Wilcox of the Electric Light corporation agreed to this. He also mentioned Marlborough street as a good place for the exhibition on account of its proximity to the car lines and there would be a space of about 1000 feet.

Chief Hosmer did not offer any suggestions.

Alderman Allen favored Tyler street, as he did not believe in tearing up paved streets for gas pipes. He said there were enough poor streets now.

Mr. Bent had a lengthy paper drawn up proposing to have the exhibition in Paige, French and Lee streets, and the connecting streets; also in Marlborough street, beginning Sept. 20 and running to the 24th, inclusive.

Mr. Dunbar thought Mr. Bent's proposition unfair, inasmuch as some of the streets named were "bucked right up to the dynamos of the electric company and would get more juice than in a distant part of the city."

Mr. Bent answered this by stating that Mr. Dunbar's words showed him to be unfamiliar with the location of the dynamos of the electric corporation; that they were in Perry street, Belvidere, instead of near French, Paige and Lee streets. He also said the diminution of pressure which was very slight, obtained in the gas pipes as it did in the electric wires. "I want to be wholly fair in this," said Mr. Bent, "the electric light corporation is thankful for a chance to show its light under perfectly fair conditions; they want to take no unfair advantage of any competitor."

The committee adjourned to meet at 4.30 this afternoon.

ACCIDENTS

LITTLE GIRL WAS BITTEN BY A DOG.

Olla Anderson, aged four years, while attempting to take a bone away from a small fox terrier dog, at her home, 675 Gorham street, yesterday received bites about the face and hands. She was taken to the Emergency hospital where she received treatment.

Adil Mongeon, aged 20 years, and residing at 4 Bleachery street, had the index finger of the left hand caught in the rollers of a spinning frame at the United States Bunting mills yesterday. Four stitches were taken in the wound at the Emergency hospital.

William H. Wilson, aged 3, fell on the sidewalk in front of his home, 3 Newhall street yesterday, sustaining a lacerated scalp wound which required three stitches to close. His injuries were treated at the Emergency hospital.

Alfred Lafiamme, of 57 Liberty street, injured the fingers of the right hand in a staking machine at the American Hide and Leather company's factory yesterday afternoon. He received lacerations and abrasions of the fingers.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A farm in Tyngsboro; six acres; a large number of fruit trees. If purchased at once will sell at a great bargain. Inquire Tyngsborough Woods Corner. Fred Patnaud.

WANTED

WANTED—By a man with 30 years' experience, a partner with $800 to start in the spool and bobbin business in this location. Address G. S. M., 19 Whitman street, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED—From 25 to 75 cans of milk daily. For particulars inquire at 512-511 Merrimack street. P. O. L.

WANTED—Boarders. Inquire at 23 Richmond, corner of Lawrence streets.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture and stoves. Apply 31 Rock street.

WANTED—Washing and cleaning by day or hour. Address K. M., Sun office.

WANTED—Nursing, by an experienced hospital nurse, or would care for an invalid. Inquire 114 Chapel street.

WANTED—Store or building for boxball bowling. Must be from 60 to 75 feet long, and 20 to 35 feet wide. Address W. H. Wood, Canobie Lake park, Salem, N. H.

WANTED—A good two-tenement house or residence, Belvidere or Westford street. No stable. Give particulars, also lowest price. S, Sun office.

WANTED REAL ESTATE—No matter where located, I can sell your estate for you. Customers waiting. Send detail description with photo. Frank W. Coughlin, 172 Washington street, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—Washing and cleaning by day or hour. Address C. E., Sun Office.

WANTED—Everybody to try one dollar's worth of our dry hard wood kindlings. Wm. K. Aldrich Co., 589 Dutton st.

WANTED—A house of 9 or 10 rooms to rent in vicinity of ward 7. Address E. A. D., Sun Office.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

WANTED
A GOOD TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE OR RESIDENCE. BELVIDERE OR WESTFORD ST. NO STABLE. GIVE PARTICULARS, ALSO LOWEST PRICE. S, SUN OFFICE.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Magnificent set of furs. Long, wide stole and pillow muff, rich brown, natural Opossum. Cost $50, I will sacrifice for $12. Perfect and never worn. Address Mrs. B. R., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Ten Pullets, soon laying, 60 cents each. Address M. O., Sun office.

FOR SALE—$150 buys a beautiful cabinet. See Gordon, 219 Central street.

FOR SALE—A good hen house and hens, sold together or separate. Inquire at 200 Thorndike street.

FOR SALE—Bicycle, cheap. Pierce chainless, cushion frame, coaster brake, nearly new. Inquire 243 Dutton street.

FOR SALE—A farm in Tyngsboro, 14 acres more or less, 1 1-2 miles from car line, buildings on the place. Inquire at 405 School street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A cottage in Trull street, North Tewksbury, 2 1-2 acres of land. 135 Summer street, city

FOR SALE—At a bargain, Edison Home Phonograph in good order, and also a large horn and about five dozen records; also a case that will carry four dozen, and will sell at a great bargain. Address Phonograph, Sun office.

FOR SALE—New and second-hand boxball bowling alleys. Address W. H. Wood, Manager, Canobie Lake park, Salem, N. H.

FOR SALE—Boarding house, 28 rooms. Will sell cheap on account of poor health. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Portuguese poodles. Geo. Wray, No. 563 School street.

FOR SALE—Furniture, will sell at a bargain if bought at once. 101 Central st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two pool tables. Inquire 455 Lawrence st.

FOR SALE—The largest St. Bernard dog in the city. Inquire at 130 Tenth st.

FOR SALE—A road wagon. Inquire Saturdays at 56 Franklin st., from 12 to 2 p. m., or first camp above Vesper-Country club on Boulevard.

FOR SALE—A nicely furnished lodging house centrally located. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A boarding and lodging house, 22 rooms and all modern conveniences. For further particulars inquire 9 Skylon st.

FOR SALE—Dry hobbin wood, 10 bushels, (5 baskets) $1.00. W. H. Parker & Sons. Telephone 1074-3., cor. Rogers and Perry sts.

VALUABLE CORNER LOT for sale containing about 4700 feet, suitable for the erection of a 3 tenement block situated by the North common. No better site for building can be found. Owner about to leave the city. Apply to C. F. Keyes, 52 Central st.

LEGAL NOTICES

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT WITHIN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX:

Respectfully Bbels and represents Rikil Arkain of Lowell, in said County; that he was married to Florence Arkain, now of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada at said Lowell on the eleventh day of October, A. D. 1903, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Florence Arkain lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit: at Lowell in said County; that the libellee in order to induce the libellant to enter into said contract of marriage falsely represented to the libellant that she was chaste and virtuous and physically competent to marry, which representations the libellant then believed to be true, but that in fact she was not chaste and virtuous and physically competent to marry, but was at that time pregnant by some other man than the libellant with a child of which she was delivered on the twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1904; that she concealed said fact from the libellant, in consequence of which false representations and concealment the libellant was induced to enter into said marriage, and that immediately upon the discovery of said fact the libellant ceased to cohabit with the libellee and has not since cohabited with her. Wherefore your libellant prays that the marriage aforesaid between himself and the said Florence Arkain may be declared null and void, because the same was procured by said fraudulent and false representations, and by reason of said fraud so practiced upon him, and that such further relief may be granted to your libellant in the premises as to right and law may pertain.

Dated this sixth day of September, A. D. 1905.

his
Rikil X Arkain.
mark

Witness to signature,
Eugene L. Woodbury.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss., Superior Court, September 8, A. D. 1905.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of November next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest:

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

E. H. WHITE
137 CENTRAL STREET

FOR SALE—Cottage house near Loring and Westford street; bath, hot water, furnace heat; in fine condition. $2500.

FOR SALE—Fine piece of investment property, income $5000 per year; 8 per cent. net on investment.

FOR SALE—In genteel neighborhood, a very nice lodging house. Rooms never empty, nice class of lodgers. Just the place for a man and wife to do light housekeeping and get a nice income from the rooms.

TO RENT—Cottage house, bath, hot water. A very nice lawn. Rent $15.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A boy to learn awning and sign business. Cross Awning and Sign Company, 200 Dutton street.

WANTED—Men to distribute samples, $3 daily, steady, no canvassing. "Oliver" 108 36th street, Chicago.

WANTED—Any one can learn to draw. Why don't you? Illustrators earn large salaries. Write today for information and secure free our Employment Offer and 128-page book. Correspondence Institute of America, Box 766, Scranton, Penn.

WANTED—Four or five carpenters. Apply Avery Bros., 16 Thorndike street.

SALESMAN of ability can find permanent employment in local territory on Chambers' Encyclopædia and Standard Reference Works, first-class references necessary. J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, Penn.

WANTED—A boy about 15 years old at Caesar Misch's store, Central street.

WANTED—An experienced kitchen girl at 142 Central street.

WANTED—A young girl or middle aged lady to mind baby 11 months old. Apply 572 Bridge street.

WANTED—A sober experienced all-round cook at 92 John street. No others need apply.

WANTED—A respectable old or middle-aged lady to mind house while woman is at work. Inquire at Sun office.

JAPAN-RUSSIA WAR—Complete official history. Bonanza for canvassers. Extra terms. Outfit free. General agents wanted on salary. Ziegler Co., Philadelphia.

WANTED—A good capable man to work on farm. Apply to S. P. Pike, 525 Middlesex street, Lowell.

WANTED—A young girl in variety and confectionery store. Apply 136 Lilley avenue.

"METCALF" WANTS—Female or male help out of work to call on him and be happy.

WANTED—At once, an experienced table girl at 726 Suffolk street.

WANTED—An experienced table girl at Mrs. Wood's, 726 Suffolk street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at 111 Westford street.

WANTED—A table girl at the Merrimac House.

BOARDERS, TOPPERS AND STANDARD KNITTERS WANTED—Piece work or standard pay. No strike. Apply to E. Refler, 23 Merrimack street, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A woman to assist at housework and go home nights. Apply 215 Smith street.

WANTED—Men for farm work. A. B. Adams, Chelmsford Centre

WANTED—Men to work on farm at H. L. Shedd's garden, South Lowell. Tel. 194-3.

WANTED—A man or a boy to mow grass. $1.50 a day. A week's work or two. Cor. Main and Shawsheen streets, Tewksbury. Reading electrics. Also cranberry pickers; pay 50 cents a bushel.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of fair education to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year, payable weekly. Expenses advanced. Address Geo. G. Clows, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A boy to work around place. Address D. E., Sun office.

WANTED—Experienced house girls. 434 Westford street. Employment office.

WANTED—A kitchen girl at 35 Worthen street.

WANTED—Three girls to canvass the most wonderful hose supporters ever worn. See them at No. 25 Central street.

KITCHEN GIRL wanted. 160 Appleton st.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income corresponding for newspapers; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—First class table girls, chamber girls, cooks and kitchen girls for seashore and mountains; high wages; also a few general house girls wanted. Prescott Employment Bureau, 34 Prescott st., in the Jewelry store.

BOY WANTED

A good smart boy about 16 years of age can secure position with chance for advancement. Must be neat appearing, capable and trustworthy. Address D. L., Sun Office.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A small hand bag, with silver glasses and chain, between Sixth street and Central street. Call at Sun office and receive reward.

LOST—A black pocketbook, between Davis square and London street. Return to 750 Gorham street.

LOST—On Westford or Princeton road, between Chelmsford line and Broadway, bundle marked Geo. E. Leavitt, containing gentleman's clothing. Finder please leave at 475 Broadway, or at H. L. Mills, Westford road, just over the line.

LOST—A black and steel crocheted purse, between upper Merrimack street and Pawtucketville. Finder rewarded at 17 Fourth avenue.

LOST—A sum of money between Plain street and Chelmsford centre. Finder please return to 173 A street and receive reward.

FOUND—September 12, a pocketbook containing a good sum of money. The owner may have by proving the same. Apply to Smith Bros., 145 Liberty street.

LOST—Small brindle bull dog, four white feet, white stripe on forehead, short tail. Reward at 131 Cabot street. C. Williams.

LOST—Small hand bag between Tremont street and Lakeview avenue. Leave at this office.

LOST—A class pin with initials G. S. G., 1903; Nile green; between Watson avenue and Westford street, or on Grand street. Reward at 1 Watson avenue.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

REMNANTS—Seconds and perfect goods. Special sale balance of September on certain lines of green, brown, black and grey goods. Ladies' suitings, cloth for boys' and girls' suits, covert cloth, broadcloth, etc. Children's suits made to order. Merrimack Remnant dept., near 1041 Lakeview avenue. Leave car at Bachman and Sladen streets, (city line.)

NOTICE—This is to notify the public that I, George Lolas, have purchased the grocery store of Thomas Psaltes, at 468 Market street. All persons having bills against this firm should send them to Thomas Psaltes before next Saturday.

OUR SPECIAL PRESENT for this week is a large size, grey enamelled cooking kettle with a pound of Tea or two pounds of Coffee, Dickson's Tea Store, 95 Merrimack street.

HAND WORK laundry. All work guaranteed to be first-class and done at short notice. We also clean and press clothing at 510 Middlesex street. George King, proprietor.

MISS L. VIVIAN PRESSY, piano teacher, 127 Stackpole street.

MISS LIDWIN BERNIER, pianoforte teacher, 1 Jewett avenue.

CHIMNEYS swept out from top to bottom with steel brushes, and an iron door set in the bottom. All for $2.50 per chimney. Smith Bros., residence and place of business, 145 Liberty street. Tel. 1593-2.

WE ARE THE well known chimney builders. We make a specialty of building and repairing chimneys of all kinds with Portland Cement Mortar, warranted to wear from 25 to 35 years. We use no nails with our patent staging, therefore, creates no leaks in your roof. Mail orders promptly attended to. Residence and place of business 145 Liberty st. Tel. 1593-2. Smith Brothers.

ALBERT DEAN, slater, tiler and tin metal roofer, chimneys repaired, estimates free. Inquire 13 Bradford st.

WANTED—Ten men with bad shaped heads to call at Delorme's the Hatter and he will fit the head perfect with a stylish hat at 261 Middlesex st. Delorme, Practical Hatter. Repairing a specialty.

LOWELL SWIMMING POOL, 501 Pawtucket street, foot of Rolfe, is now open to the public. Take Broadway cars.

PRESCOTT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—Reliable help of all kinds wanted and furnished. Mill, farm, domestic, beach and mountain hotel help a specialty. 34 Prescott st., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 993-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

A NURSE trained in maternity hospital, especially for confinement cases. Highest medical references, terms moderate. Mrs. Battile, Maternity Nurse, 21 Third street.

DON'T FAIL to see Zo-Zo, the dog-face calf at the Lowell fair.

MME. WATSON EMERSON—Clairvoyant; psychological readings and instruction in elocution and physical culture. Hours, 9 to 12, 1 to 5, 7 to 9.30; 474 Central street.

GORDON & BLOOD—Sheet Metal Workers, Furnace and Stove Repairs, Cornices, Skylights, Gutters, etc. 52 Palmer st. Tel. 897-2.

MRS. FLETCHER, 769 Gorham st., trance medium and card reader.

CHIROPODIST—C. M. Saunders, 90 Prescott st. Open Mon. Tues. and Sat. evenings.

MRS. C. ADAMS—Clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' parlor employment office at 352 Central st.

REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.—Will paper your room, furnishing paper, and border to match the same, including the hanging for $2.00; special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc., first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Racket), 303 Middlesex st.

MONEY—The best place in the city to borrow money is from the U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st.

CHIMNEYS repaired at short notice with Portland cement, mortar, also slate roofs repaired. Smith Brothers, residence 145 Liberty street. Tel. 1593-2.

NOW IS THE TIME to bring in your Panama hats and have them cleaned. We have all the latest shapes in stiff hats. We will give a hat cleaner free with every purchase of a hat at J. Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The famous hatter.

THE WONDERFUL DRINK GLORIA, gives youthful vigor, and a day of new life in every drink. Boyle Bros., Telephone.

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS should order "The Chase Lock Hinge" for blinds direct from factory at a liberal discount. Box 150, Waltham.

PILES, HEMORRHOIDS—Rectal trouble sufferers. I am no free sample deposit or C. O. D. fakir. I was positively cured years standing. Have cured hundreds severe cases by the formula of a specialist of highest standing. Formula—Advice 50 cts. Treatment inexpensive. M. Adams, 220 A, Pearl st., Somerville, Mass.

GENERAL REPAIRING, tenements specially. 1 Charles Court, off Charles st. 2 flights up.

MIRACLE. The great German rust exterminator. Takes the rust off lawn mowers, cutlery, in fact everything, without labor. Once used always used. For sale by all leading hardware houses. Price 25 cents. Hugo Hill, Manufacturer.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair, harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1123 Bridge street. Telephone.

HALL TO LET

A fine hall 30x41½ feet, with large ante-rooms, closets, etc., in the Harrington building, 52 Central street. Inquire at The Sun Office.

INFORMATION WANTED

NOTICE—DIVORCES

Strictly private advice and book free. Short wait, prompt, efficient, references everywhere, success in all counties in Massachusetts, lowest fee, easily paid. Our only office. Lawyer, 47 Court st., Room 11, Boston Mass.

TO LET

TO LET—At 52 Fay street, cottage of seven rooms, excellent repair. Inquire opposite, or 18 Burns street.

TO LET—Lodging house of 22 rooms in good order. Rent $20 a month. Apply 465 Central street.

TO LET—Elegant house of ten rooms. Hot and cold water, bath, gas, air furnace heat, in Belvidere. Rent low. Apply 45 Central street.

TO LET—Two floors of a large building, suitable for light manufacturing purposes in a good location. Rent low. Apply 95 Central street.

TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, situated at 6 Franklin court. This tenement is the same as a cottage house, convenient for small family. Apply at premises.

TO LET—A nice six-room tenement on Merrill street. Apply 451 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Tenement of five rooms, pantry, bath, hot water and shed. Small family. 20 Second avenue, Pawtucketville.

TO LET—House of seven rooms, steam heat, all modern improvements. Inquire 112 Walker street.

TO LET—A nice sunny front room, 403 Central street.

TO LET—A six-room tenement and bath, hot and cold water. In good neighborhood. Inquire at 32 Phillips street.

TO LET—A house of twelve rooms in good locality, corner of Seventh and Methuen streets. They can also secure all the carpets and window shades they desire, all in good order and will be sold at a great bargain. In use less than one year. Inquire at 51 Seventh street.

TO LET—Tenement of seven rooms on Lawson street. Inquire at 61 Queen street.

TO LET—Five-room cottage in Pawtucketville. Apply 47 Davis street, Pawtucketville.

TO LET—Tenements at 688 Lakeview avenue. Inquire of M. D. Chemevert, 5 Aiken street.

TO LET—A nice tenement of 9 rooms at 426 Chelmsford street.

TO LET—In Pawtucketville, attractive six-room tenement in thorough repair. Bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing. Pleasantly located. Two car lines. Apply 59 Varnum avenue.

TO LET—Two 8-room cottages, hot and cold water and bath room. Inquire at 120 Bowden street.

OFFICE TO RENT—Best location in the city. Frank J. Green, real estate and auctioneer, 93 Central street.

TO LET—House of ten rooms, bath, pantry, hot and cold water, furnace heat, situated at corner of Fort Hill avenue and Andover street. Inquire at 9 Fort Hill avenue.

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms with bath, $2, 2.50, and $3. 166 Mt. Vernon st.

ROOMS with or without board at 52 John st., Boott corp.

TO LET—One half of double house, modern improvements, 43 Royal st. Apply at 85 Sherman st.

TO LET—Tenement of 7 rooms, bath, hot water. Inquire 470 Rogers st.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms and bath, 9 Westford st. G. D. Kimball, 64 Central st.

ROOMS TO LET suitable for a wheelwright or for light manufacturing. W. K. Aldrich, 587 Dutton st.

TO LET—At Lakeview Terrace furnished rooms, gentlemen preferred. Apply on premises. Mrs. Pratt.

ROOM WITH POWER to let in card building, Shattuck st. Wm. E. Badger, Locks & Canals office.

TO LET—Corner Windsor & Westford streets, two six room flats, all hard wood floors; steam heat, continuous hot water and gas range furnished. All modern conveniences. Apply James H. Walker, 43 Fletcher st. Tel. 211-2.

SUMMER RESORTS

NAHANT BEACH—Newly furnished rooms by the day or week. 12-14 Suffolk st. F. L. Dwyer.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to permanent salaried people on easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city (confidential) no publicity, no delay, special inducements for quick payments. Private office. Offices in Lowell and Lawrence. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott st.

$5, $10, $15—Emergency loans for "tight" places quickly secured at the best place in Lowell. T. H. Kelley's, 392 Middlesex st.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security, salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack Loan Co., Associate Building.

MONEY LOANED salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters and others, without security, easy payments, offices in 50 leading cities. Tolman, room 43 Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5. Swan building, 26 Central st.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leinhas, room 9, Barristers' Hall.

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Everyone wants money, no matter how saving a person may be one cannot foresee everything. We give the money so cheap and make the repayments so easy that it helps over a rough place in life's pathway without a jar.

CASH LOANS TO ANYONE with a salary. No security asked; a plain note is all we require.

KELLEY, the Money Lender.
392 Middlesex st.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Middle-aged Protestant woman would help with housework or take care of child. Address M., 55 Massachusetts corporation.

EXPERIENCED BAR PORTER wants situation. Good reference. Address D. J., Sun office.

MIDDLE AGED LADY wants work in small family. Would take care of one child. Inquire at 53 Chestnut street, middle bell.

WANTED—Position as stenographer or bookkeeper, some experience. Address M. R., Westford, Mass., R. F. D.

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CALL TO VOTERS

Republican Machine Gets a Rap

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The Massachusetts committee of 100 on reciprocal trade, which is composed chiefly of republicans, issued today a call to republican voters to join with them in their request for the adoption of a plank in the platform of the coming republican state convention, favoring a revision of the tariff. Republican voters are asked to forward a petition to the convention to insert the following in the platform, as well as to nominate candidates whose views are in harmony with the sentiment expressed:

"We demand that hides, coal, iron ore, lumber and wood pulp be placed by congress on the free list and that duties upon manufactured and other articles be reduced wherever existing duties are higher than are needed for any purpose of protection."

The committee declares that the extreme protectionist interests have so far influenced the "Machine" of the republican party of the state that it does not intend to have expression given to the tariff revision sentiment, but instead, to suppress at the convention any genuine declaration in favor of it and to nominate one or more candidates hostile to the policy.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Week of Monday, Sept. 18th.

HUNTINGTON-DeDEYN STOCK COMPANY

In that thrilling Western Melodrama,

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BASED ON THE "PIKE COUNTY" BALLADS OF THE LATE SECRETARY JOHN HAY.

Matinees:—Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

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GRAND SACRED CONCERT

Sunday, Sept. 17th, AFTERNOON AND EVENING,

Moving Pictures and Illustrated Songs

Matinee Prices—10c and 20c. Evening Prices—10c, 20c, 30c.

For Benefit of Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's Church.

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

Special Sale of...

Damaged Bed Spreads

MONDAY, 18TH INST.

Our fall shipment of these desirable bargains has arrived and we put them on sale at the following big reductions from regular prices. It is unnecessary to state particularly what these values mean, as our patrons of the past years well know that these prices are 1-3 and 1-2 off from regular prices.

The lot embraces all the various sizes and qualities made at the mill, from crib to 12-4 size, new patterns of Honeycomb, Crochet, Marseilles and satin quilts.

75c and $1.00 Spreads for	49c
$1.25 and $1.50 Spreads for	79c
$2.00 and $2.50 Spreads for	98c
$3, $4 and $5 Spreads for	$1.69

The imperfections are very slight in a large proportion of them, and as the lot is just opened, there will be found many as good as perfect ones and at a great saving in cost.

See our window display in Palmer Street window and see the handsome new patterns.

A. G. Pollard & Co.

HOUSE BURNED

Lexington Family Had Narrow Escape

LEXINGTON, Mass., Sept. 16.—The family of Morris F. Conley, a prominent horticulturist, narrowly escaped being burned to death by a fire which destroyed their home early today. The fire started in a nearby barn and the flames, which communicated to the house, spread so rapidly that Mr. and Mrs. Conley, with their children, were compelled to flee from the house in their night clothing in order to escape the flames. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is $3,500; covered by insurance.

W. C. T. U.

The annual convention of the Middlesex County Woman's Christian Temperance union was held in the Congregational church, Wakefield, Thursday, September 14. The day was an ideal autumn day, and the town of Wakefield a very attractive place. The church in which the convention met is a large stone edifice, beautiful without and within. The Congregationalists of Lowell cannot boast of such a building. Three of the Lowell delegates were present. A very cordial welcome was given by the local union to all the delegates of which there was a large number from the various towns. Mrs. Abbie F. Rolfe of Concord, the president, presided as she has for many years with ability and tact. Rev. Guy C. Robbins opened the exercises with prayer. Greeting by Mrs. Thomas Martin, president of the local union. Response by Miss Gowing. The secretary's report for the year was read, after which the president gave one of her usual interesting and earnest addresses. Then came reports of the various departments of work. The noontide hour of prayer was led by Mrs. Martin. The audience was then invited to the vestry to partake of a very tasty lunch served by the Natural Food company of Niagara Falls, N. Y. J. W. Higbee, agent of the company, dined with the convention and gave a very glowing account of the good work the company was doing for the world.

The afternoon exercises were opened by the president. The treasurer's annual report was then given, and the role of delegates called. Election of county officers resulted in the choice of Mrs. Abbie F. Rolfe president, Mrs. J. W. Sage secretary, Mrs. Alfred Boynton treasurer. A beautiful solo was given by a young lady. Then a very interesting address by Mrs. Janette Hill Knox, the state corresponding secretary.

The convention was closed by the singing of the hymn, "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds," and benediction by Rev. Robert Polhamus. These united gatherings of workers pay, in the inspiration gained from one another.

BRAVE TEACHER

Marched Pupils From Burning Building

LACONIA, N. H., Sept. 16.—Heroism on the part of Miss Rosette Burke, a teacher, who carried a crippled child safely to the street, and calmness among the other teachers, alone prevented a harvest of death or injury during a fire which did $700 damage to the Mechanic school here yesterday.

The fire started near the furnace in the basement and was probably caused by a spark falling into a pile of waste paper. The building is built of wood and the fire rapidly burned up through the two upper floors, but the dense smoke gave the teachers ample warning.

The 200 pupils were quickly assembled and marched into the street, repeated assurances that they were in no danger preventing them from rushing for the exit.

Lulu White, 12, and a cripple, was on the second floor when the flames broke out, and her teacher, Miss Rosette Burke, carried the child to the street.

A boy, name unknown, fearing that he would be cut off by the flames, jumped from a second-story window, but escaped uninjured.

The flames burned up through the centre of the building and the foundations of a cupola which surmounted the structure were burned away, allowing it to fall into the building.

BOMBS FOUND

AMONG CARGO OF A BRITISH STEAMER.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Sept. 16.—Divers have arrived at Jakobstad to thoroughly examine the wreck of the British steamer John Grafton (which was sunk by her crew Sept. 10, after landing a portion of her cargo of arms and ammunition on a barren island in the Gulf of Bothnia). Among the steamer's saved cargo, boxes of bombs and explosives have been found besides the rifles already reported. The investigations of the authorities have thus far failed to throw any light on the incident.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles Parthenais of Spaulding street has returned from a very enjoyable vacation.

Mrs. Cyrille Hebert with her son Cyrille Hebert of St. Paul are the guests of Miss A. Seignerie of this city. Mrs. Hebert was a former resident of Lowell.

Moise L. Dalgle of Dracut has gone on an extensive Canadian tour.

Charles Miller and wife of Lowell are the guests of relatives in Haverhill for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Cross of Lowell, former residents of Manchester, have returned to the Queen City and will reside there in the future.

Miss Mildred McMahon has gone to Norwich, Conn., for two weeks as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Carpenter.

Recent guests at the Brown Square hotel, Newburyport, were Messrs. John Mahar and Benjamin Wilkins, Miss Ella Legare and Miss Rose P. Grounder.

Henry O. Brooks has recently been calling on friends in Old Town, Me.

Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Carver accompanied by their two children, Pauline and Clyde, have returned from Dexter, Me., where the children have been living with relatives for several years.

Mrs. William Roberts has recently visited with her sister, Mrs. D. G. Roberts of Skowhegan, Me.

George W. Henley, who for the past year and a half has been embalmer for John H. Newman, Brooklyn, N. Y., has been granted an undertaker's license by the board of health, to do business in this city.

Rev. Ralph Gillam was in the city on Thursday.

Miss Sarah Foster of Chelmsford is spending two weeks in Centre Harbor, N. H.

Miss Ruth Crowell has been visiting at the residence of her uncle, Charles A. Steele of Hudson Centre, N. H. During her stay, in company with her cousin, Miss Myra Steele, a visit was made with the family of Charles W. Spaulding, of Hudson Bridge, N. H.

Miss Delia Thompson has recently visited with her sister, Miss Ida Thompson at the home of A. H. Worthley, Bristol, N. H.

Dr. J. A. Lapointe of Biddeford, Me., has had as a recent guest, Mr. Arthur Grieward of Lowell.

W. L. Jones has paid a recent visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones of Denmark, Me.

Mrs. Ellen M. Spaulding is spending her vacation in Augusta, Me.

Mrs. Armine Hassett has recently visited relatives in East Rochester N. H.

Miss Margaret MacDougal of Centralville has gone on a visit to Ontario, where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. A. MacDougal.

Mrs. Effie A. Turner of Norwood, Mass., with her daughter, Mrs. J. Frank Adams of Watertown, spent a few days this week with their cousin, Mrs. George E. Dickey of Tyngsboro.

Mrs. William Morris and Miss Connie Cass are visiting in Manchester, N. H., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivory S. York.

Miss Gertrude M. Macdonald is visiting relatives at Newport, R. I.

Gates M. Coburn, with Arthur Morton and Fred Childs of New York, will leave next week for the Mediterranean. After a short tour of the continent Mr. Coburn will sail from Naples for India and Ceylon en route to Australia, returning via Honolulu and San Francisco in the early spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald are rejoicing over the arrival of a 12-pound baby boy at their home in Cumberland road.

Thos. P. Sheehan and wife of Windsor, street have gone to Vermont for two weeks.

Your Wants.

If you want to buy, sell or give away anything, or locate lost, strayed or stolen goods, advertise in The Sun and you will hear of it quickly, as it is

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SUNDAY SERVICES

TO BE HELD AT THE DIFFERENT LOCAL CHURCHES.

BAPTIST.

Branch Street Middlesex st at eastern junction of Branch and Middlesex st Rev. Asa R. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12 Young People's meeting at 5.45, evening service at 6.30.

Morning "The Christian." Evening "Why I am a Baptist."

Chelmsford Street Freewill—Chelmsford st., cor Plain. Rev. Albert E. Kenyon pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at noon.

Morning Sermon by the pastor. Evening People's service

Fifth Street West Fifth street. Rev. H. Grattan Dockrell, pastor, 31 May street. Morning service at 10.30 Bible school at 12, evening service at 6.30

Morning 10.30 Subject "The Vision of God." Evening, 6.30 "A Politician Converted." You are invited to come.

Mt. Vernon Free Baptist—Mt. Vernon cor. Butterfield st. Rev. F. E. Carver, pastor.

Immanuel Blossom st. Rev. Robert F. True, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Y.P.S.C.E. at 5.45, evening service at 6.30.

First—George st., cor. Church st. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Junior Young People's society at 3.15, evening service at 6.30

Morning "The Great Church Builder." Evening "The Danger of Slighting God's Invitation." Special Evangelistic singing.

First Freewill—Paige st., Rev. D. H. Martin pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12, evening service 6.30.

French Baptist Church—Bridge st., cor. West Sixth, Rev. Isaac Le Fleur, pastor.

North Tewksbury Baptist—Rev. C. L. Pierce, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Evening at 6.30.

Worthen Street—Rev. Arthur P. Wedge, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, evening service at 6.30, C. E. meeting 6.15

Morning—"The Business of Christianity." Evening—"Bethseda."

North Billerica—Chester H. Howe, pastor; morning service at 10.45, Sunday school, 12.10; Junior Christian Endeavor at 3.30; evening service at 7.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost. Gospel: St. Matthew vi, 24-33.

St. Patrick's—Masses will be sung in the basement at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. The 10 o'clock mass will be exclusively for the children, while the 11 o'clock mass will replace the usual high mass.

St. Peter's—Gorham st. Rev. Michael Ronan, rector. First mass at 6, second mass at 7, third mass at 8 (new church), children's mass at 9 (old church), fourth mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 7.

St. Michael's—Sixth st. Rev. John J. Shaw, pastor. First mass at 6.30, children's mass at 8.15, second mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30. Sunday school at 1.30, vespers at 3.

Immaculate Conception (Oblate Fathers) East Merrimack st. between Brown and High. Rev. E. A. Durgan, O.M.I., pastor. First mass at 6, second mass at 7.30, children's mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 6.30.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Oblate Fathers), Moore st., opp. Andrews st., Rev. John P. Reynolds, O.M.I., pastor. First mass at 6, children's mass at 8, second mass at 9, high mass and sermon at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, vespers at 6.30.

St. Jean Baptiste (Oblate Fathers), Merrimack st., cor. Aiken. Rev. Joseph Mangin, O.M.I., rector. First mass at 7, children's mass at 8.30, high mass with sermon at 10, vespers at 6.30.

St. Joseph's (Oblate Fathers.) Lee st. Rev. Leon Lamothe, O.M.I., rector. First mass at 7, second mass at 8.30, high mass and sermon at 10, vespers at 3.

St. Louis—West Sixth st., Rev. J. N. Jacques, rector. First mass at 7, second mass at 8.30, high mass and sermon at 10, vespers at 3.

St. Anthony's (Portuguese) Gorham st., cor. Congress. Rev. Joaquin V. Rosa, pastor. First mass at 7.30, second mass at 9, and high mass and sermon at 10.30, vespers at 3.30. Sunday at 3.30 Holy Hour of Adoration.

Church of the Holy Trinity (Polish) High st.—First mass at 8, high mass and sermon at 10.30, vespers at 4.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Elliot—Summer st., cor. Favor. Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor. Rev. J. M. Greene, D. D., pastor emeritus. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Y.P. S.C.E. at 6.

Morning—"The Heart's Heaven." Evening—"The Saviour at the Door."

Evangelical—Tyngsboro, Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.30, evening service at 7.

First—Merrimack st. opp. public library. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E., at 5.30, evening at 6.30.

Rev. Dr. Baird will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

First Trinitarian—Dutton st., cor. Music Hall av. Rev. Geo. F. Kennett, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

Morning—"The Supreme Test." Evening "A Video of Two Worlds."

French—Bowers st., col. Fletcher. Rev. T. G. A. Cote, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

High Street East Merrimack st., cor. High Rev. C. W. Houghton D. D., pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15, evening service at 7.

Mothers Sermon by the pastor. Evening at 7 Miss Carrie L. Erskine will speak of the work of the Hampton Institute.

Highland—Westford st., cor. South Canton Rev. T. Clayton Welles, pastor. Morning prayer at 10.30, sermon at 10.35. Sunday school at 12, evening at 6.30.

Preaching morning and evening by Prof. W. J. Ryder of Andover Theological Seminary.

Kirk Street Kirk st., opp French. Rev. Geo F. Martin, D. D., pastor.

Hildreth Dracut Rev. J. A. McKnight, pastor. Services at 10.30, Sunday school and pastor's class at 12, Y.P.S.C.E., at 6.45, evening service at 7.

Morning "Getting By Giving." Evening C. E. at 6.15, followed by lecture by the pastor.

Central Congregational church, Chelmsford, Rev. A. F. Earnshaw, pastor

Centre Dracut Morning service at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

Pawtucket Pawtucket st. Rev. Edwin R. Smith, minister. Morning worship at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.

Pelham Church Rev. J. L. Hoyle, pastor. Preaching at 10.45, Sunday school 12.

Second Congregational church, North Chelmsford, Rev. D. A. Hudson, pastor.

Swedish London st., Rev. F. A. Lindholm pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7.

EPISCOPAL

St. Anne's, corner Kirk and Merrimack sts., Rev. A. St. John Chambre, D. D., rector.

Holy Communion at 7.15 a. m.; full service and sermon, 10.30 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7 o'clock; Sunday school, 12.

St. John's—Gorham st. near court house, Rev. Leander C. Manchester, rector—Morning service at 10.30; Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30. Communion first and third Sundays and on the greater festivals.

All Saints—Chelmsford. Services and sermon at 10.45, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 7, Holy Communion at 10, first Sunday in the month 10.45.

LUTHERAN.

Swedish—Meadowcroft st., near Moore. Rev. P. E. Asley, pastor, Sunday school at 9, morning service at 10.30, evening service at 7.

METHODIST.

Centralville M. E.—Corner of Bridge and Hildreth sts., Rev. Geo. Whitaker, pastor—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 6.45 p. m.; Sunday school at 12 o'clock, Epworth league at 6 p. m.

Morning—"Jesus, the Priest." Evening "Eternity."

Central Methodist, corner Paige and John sts., Rev. W. W. Shenk, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12m.; Junior League at 4 p. m.; Epworth League, 5.30; preaching at 6.30; French service at 2.30 p. m., Rev. E. D. Lapien in charge.

Morning—"The Fulfilling Christ." Evening—"Our Walk With God a Hidden Way."

First Primitive—Gorham st., cor. Ellsworth, Rev. Nathaniel W. Matthews, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday

Morning—"A Loose End Versus Tied Down." Evening—"A Contrast in Conquest."

First Swedish—Moore st., cor. Bourne, Rev. Oscar W. Johnson, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 2, evening service at 6.30.

Berean Primitive Methodist, Rev. Barrett Markham, pastor.

Morning—Preaching, subject: "Called to Service." Sunday school, 12 m. Preaching, subject: "Hindrances, Their Help."

Highland—Loring st., cor. Grove, Rev. B. F. Kingsley, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12, evening service at 6.30.

St. Paul's—Junction of Hurd and Warren sts., Rev. Geo. H. Dean, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school and Bible class at 12, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—"Mary's Significant Bequest." Evening—"The Principal Thing in Life." the pastor's Bible class for men over 16 years of age meets in the auditorium at the close of morning's service.

Worthen Street—Rev. E. P. Herrick, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30, evening service at 6.30.

Morning—Sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. P. Herrick, Subject "The Test of Love." Evening People's service.

MINISTRY-AT-LARGE

Free Church Middlesex street, near Booth, Rev. George C. Wright, minister. Morning—"The Deepest Law of Every Man's Life."

PRESBYTERIAN.

First—Appleton st., cor. Davis, Rev. James M. Craig, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12; evening at 7. Morning "Rest." Evening "Encouragement."

Westminster United Presbyterian, Tyler street, Rev. A. P. Gibson, pastor, services, 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Morning "Bread Upon the Waters." Evening "The Runner Ended."

UNITARIAN.

First—Merrimack st., opp. John, Rev. Chas. T. Billings pastor. Regular morning service at 10.45, Sunday school after morning service.

Morning "The Home Beautiful."

Chelmsford Centre Unitarian—Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Young people's guild at 7.

UNIVERSALIST.

First Hurd st., Rev. Calch E. Fisher, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Y.P.S. C. E., at 6.

Morning—"The One Way to Be Saved."

Grace Princeton st., cor. South Canton. Rev. Ransom A. Greene, pastor. Morning service at 10.30, Sunday school at 12.

Morning—"Above All Price." Sunday school at 12.45 p. m. Communion at 5 p. m.; Y. P. R. C. E. at 6.

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ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 16.—For the second time Miss Katharine Brett, aged 22, yesterday was deserted at the altar. Two years ago she was to have been married to Alexander Sem, who left on the morning of the wedding day, sending her a note that he had a wife in Jersey City.

Recently she was wooed by John Ryan, son of a retired slate operator. The wedding was fixed for yesterday. St. Lawrence's church was filled with guests and the bride and her attendants were at the altar, when the priest, the Rev. Peter Quinn, made the announcement that owing to the non-appearance of the bridegroom there would not be any wedding. The bride and her family were invited into the rectory, where Mr. Ryan's mother was waiting to inform them that she opposed the wedding and had induced her son to stay away. Miss Brett tore up her gown and collapsed. She is delirious and is in charge of Dr. A. J. Becker.

FINE CONCERT.

A very large and appreciative audience attended the concert given by the Columbia Graphophone company in its store, 53 Central street. The selections were from many celebrated artists, numbers from celebrated orchestras and brass bands. The entire concert was a great success and after the concert was over the management received a large number of orders, which only goes to show the popularity of these music machines.

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September, 26, 1905

CITY OF LOWELL.

City Clerk's Office, Sept. 16, 1905.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Sections 212 and 213 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws, and Chapter 464, of the Acts of 1903, that Primary meetings of the voters of the political parties (Democratic and Republican) in the City of Lowell, for the State Election of 1905, will be held Tuesday, the 26th day of September current, in the several precincts of the different wards as follows, to wit:

Precinct Ward One.
1—Booth, Elliot street, cor. Middlesex street.
2—Store 311 Market street, Gates Block.
3—Booth, First street, cor. Bridge street.

Precinct Ward Two.
1—Booth, Tremont street, cor. Merrimack street.
2—Booth, Broadway, at Mann school.
3—Booth, North Common, opp. Morrill school.

Precinct Ward Three.
1—Booth, Rock street, cor. Willie street.
2—Ward Room, Engine House, Branch street.
3—Booth, Junction of Middlesex, Branch and Dover streets.

Precinct Ward Four.
1—Booth, Highland street, cor. Thorndike street.
2—Booth, Gorham street, cor. Congress street.
3—Ward Room, Lyon street.

Precinct Ward Five.
1—Booth, George street, cor. Church street.
2—Booth, Hosford square, Central street.
3—Booth, Chestnut street, cor. Fayette street.

Precinct Ward Six.
1—Booth, Bridge street, between 10th and 11th streets.
2—Store, No. 410 Bridge street, between West 4th and West 5th streets.
3—Booth, Lakeview avenue, near Aiken street.

Precinct Ward Seven.
1—Ward Room, Engine House, Fletcher street.
2—Booth, Willie street, at Lighting Station.
3—Booth, Riverside street, cor. Mammoth road.

Precinct Ward Eight.
1—Booth, Chester street, cor. Westford street.
2—Booth, Smith street, cor. Shaw street.
3—Booth, Lincoln street, near Quebec street.

Precinct Ward Nine.
1—Ward Room, Engine House, High street.
2—Booth, Fort Hill avenue, cor. Rogers street.
3—Booth, Moore street, near Gorham street.

The polls to be opened at 12 o'clock m. and closed at 9 o'clock p. m.

Then and there to give in their votes on their respective party ballots for the election of delegates to the Democratic and Republican conventions as follows—State; Councillor, Sixth District; County; in wards 5 and 9, Sixth Middlesex Senatorial District; in wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8, Seventh Middlesex Senatorial District; in wards 4, 7 and 8, Twenty-fifth Middlesex Representative District; in wards 5 and 9, Twenty-seventh Middlesex Representative district; also in wards 1, 2, 3 and 6, for direct nomination of candidates for election to the General Court from the Twenty-sixth Middlesex Representative District.

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FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

DRIVE THE GRAFTERS TO THE REAR

The art of grafting has not attained the alarming stage in Lowell that is reported from some other cities; but yet it is a growing evil that must be grappled with and effectually eradicated. When there is wilful waste and needless extravagance in any department it is due to grafting; when the city does not get a dollar's worth in labor or material for every dollar expended, then grafting may be assigned as the unmistakable cause. When any citizen comes to realize that the city is being cheated, he has a right to complain and to call a halt to official grafting. The citizens look to the mayor and city council to keep the grafters at bay; but when it comes to be a recognized fact that most members of the city council will vote for a measure detrimental to the city's interests if paid for so doing, what is the remedy? What, but to send men of a different stripe to the city council. It would be well also to send a few grafters to jail just as a warning to others, but the proof is sometimes hard to procure and very few want to have a hand in bringing the offenders to justice. Clear the city council of grafters and that body can then be relied upon to banish grafting from the various municipal departments.

If the grafters get a hold on the city departments, it will take ten years to drive them out. Therefore, make up your minds now to drive the grafters to the rear.

Lieutenant Peary is now approaching the north pole and it is hoped that he will succeed in finding the evasive spot before he returns. There are some people who, if Peary finds the pole, are wondering what on earth is he going to do with it? Will he bring it home or will he raise the American flag on it?

The republican city committee has come in for a great deal of criticism on account of the open manner in which they solicit contributions from candidates for office; but we are inclined to believe that the course of the committee is perfectly proper. It is impossible to run a campaign of any kind without a reasonable amount of money to pay legitimate expenses, and the candidates for office who are most interested should in all fairness foot the bills. If the law prevents the assessing of candidates it certainly does not make it an offense for candidates to make voluntary offerings to pay legitimate campaign expenses.

The democratic city committee is also justified in obliging every candidate to pay a reasonable amount in order that the campaigns may be conducted properly, and all legitimate bills paid at the end of each contest.

THE CLOVEN HOOF.

It is really amusing to witness the antics of Tom Lawson in showing up the schemers in the domain of high finance. Tom is telling a great deal of truth, nevertheless, and his screeds may result in some good, but we never had much confidence in Tom as a protector of financial morals. He reminds us too much of Satan rebuking sin. He may be working for revenge or he may be making restitution to the public as the result of an awakened conscience but the cloven hoof is there and we would not be at all surprised to see Tom turning a handsome sum as the result of his assaults upon the promoters of frenzied finance. Tom will bear watching all the time.

DISTRIBUTE THE IMMIGRANTS.

It is a great pity that some system is not adopted whereby immigrants arriving at our large seaports could ascertain where they would be most likely to get employment and the benefits of better living, which is their main purpose in coming to America. While these ambitious people are huddled together in the larger cities in idleness there is a dearth of laborers in various parts of the country. The south is clamoring for farm hands to till the soil and gather the crops and is offering inducements of the most promising kind to permanent settlers. In the west they report a scarcity of farm help and still the majority of the immigrants who come to this country are competent farmers who might with very little effort secure good homes for themselves and be a benefit to the nation instead of trying to eke out a living in the slums of the larger cities where a large proportion of them through enforced idleness find their way into the pauper institutions. Here is an opportunity for some philanthropic society, or even congress to remedy the evil. Any able bodied, well disposed man who comes to this country anxious to earn his living should have some means of knowing where he can best locate. In this way he would not add to the evils of immigration which are so often complained of.

INSURANCE SHOULD INSURE.

Every cloud has a silver lining. The cloud which hung over the Equitable Life Insurance Company has turned out to be after all a benefit to the policy holders of the country. The investigation of the Equitable led to the investigation of several other large insurance companies, and the discoveries already made are little less than startling. They all appear to be tarred with the same stick, and no doubt something will be done to regulate the investments and management of the large insurance companies. A life insurance policy should be protected by all the power of the government. It oftentimes constitutes the main dependence of a family, and every safeguard that can be thrown about the insurance business will be welcomed by the general public. Insurance that does not insure is worthless. The investments of an insurance company should be as closely scrutinized as those of a savings bank. We are glad to note that there is a strong sentiment in favor of putting every insurance company in the country on a safe and sound financial basis.

The salaries of these companies are altogether too high and the investments which are frequently made by deceptive methods have too much of the element of risk to be justifiable. All these evils no doubt will be remedied, and life insurance which is at present under a cloud will become a more popular and more reliable investment for those who have families dependent upon them.

SEEN AND HEARD

A pigeon perched on a wing of the golden eagle at city hall attracted a deal of attention yesterday forenoon.

A High School boy, a foot ball player and enthusiasts, wearing his sister's drab stockings and patent leather slippers, was one of the attractions in Merrimack square Friday afternoon.

The places of amusement in the United States will soon hear of the "leap frog" railway, an exciting amusement which Londoners are now enjoying, and which has caused considerable comment.

The railway consists of a track about 500 feet long. As the two cars coming in opposite directions are hurling each other and the passengers are in a state of terrification, a collision is averted by a series of guides leading up to a set of rails which pass over the roof of each car, and induces one car to override the other, landing it safely on the rails at the other side.

For the participator in the high speed leap, it is a breathless moment, and it is probable that next year will see the "leap frog" railway in the United States, where it will doubtless prove a successful attraction at some seaside resort.

I'll bear it like a czar, nor curse
Nor hang my luck as it deserves—
Bad as it is it ain't so worse,
And Fate is kind unto my nerves,
Though mobs in Petersburg annoy
Me now and then with warlike show,
I'll bear it bravely for, O Joy,
They're rioting in Tokio!

Let Nihilists by Neva's flood
Brew bombs of nitro-glycerine;
Let Kishinef be washed in blood
And Warsaw make a gory scene—
Distressing to a czar, perhaps,
But I can stand it when I know
Those irritating little Japs
Are rioting in Tokio.

Did some one heave a brick just then?
I laugh ha, ha! I do not care,
Are Cossacks not arresting men
For hiding fireworks on my stair?
Well, let the boys enjoy their fun—
I can't condemn them when I know
The children of the Rising Sun
Are rioting in Tokio.

"Men are so stupid!" she complained to her friend, as he turned back to walk with her. "They have no discrimination. Just now, as I came 'round the corner, I slipped and fell. I picked myself up and slunk away, almost praying that no one had seen me, when a man came up to me, raised his hat, and in a most sympathetic voice said; 'Beg pardon, but here is your handkerchief.' Did you ever hear of anything more inconsiderate?"

Her companion looked puzzled.

"Didn't you want him to pick it up?" he asked.

"Most certainly not, under the circumstances," was the emphatic reply.

"But how is a man to know," was the bewildered question, what you women want? I guarantee that every man I know would pick up the handkerchief in such a case, under the impression that he was being of service to the girl."

"Yes, I know he would! And I guarantee that every girl I know would rather lose the finest handkerchief she possesses than have any one see her when she has fallen—it's the one time she wants to be ignored."

The machine that lies idle is far more liable to injury than the machine that runs.

Air and dampness do more damage than wear and tear. Let the machine remain inactive a while and the coating formed by the corrosion soon covers the bright metal and the parts become stiff and cranky.

A man neglects the working parts of his body. Normally these parts should be exercised. He indulges his members in idleness. Whatever vitality and working force they may have had when in continued use, neglect causes the machinery to run stiffly. It is the rust.

A man may neglect to exercise his working brain forces. He may have ever so quick a mind, but if he does not use his mental machinery the rust of idleness is soon over it.

A man may neglect to use the moral forces that are in him. There is a weakening somewhere. The machine lets down. And soon the parts are rusted.

When the primary or the convention or the ballot-box-working parts of government—are neglected the rust collects. The machinery works poorly. It may break down.

Keep your body working without friction by systematic exercise.

Keep your mind bright by using it.

Keep your soul clean by working it.

And so for society—nine-tenths of its evils are caused by the idleness of its necessary working parts.

NORTH BILLERICA

A gang of men will be put to work Monday morning macadamizing the roadway from the Talbot mills storehouse as far as the Faulkner Mfg Co.'s office. The amount appropriated by the town for the work is $1500. It is expected that the work can be done for less than the amount appropriated and in that event what is left will be spent for the macadamizing of Wilson street.

A meeting of the democratic town committee will be held in the engine room at Union hall next Thursday evening. The committee has not met nor organized since it was chosen at the caucus in Billerica Centre last fall. John R. Conway was chairman of the 1904 committee and as no presiding officer has been elected for this year, he has called a meeting to be held on the date mentioned above.

Chairman Charles H. Kolrausch of the board of selectmen has gone to his farm in Sutton, N. H., for a brief vacation. He is expected to return next Tuesday.

Many of the farmers from this part of the town attended the opening exercises of the Middlesex North fair at the fair grounds, Lowell, Thursday. Several of them have exhibits there and it is needless to say that they are all good ones.

PLEASANT PARTY.

Last Thursday evening a very pleasant surprise party was given to Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Lindholm at the London street church. A very pretty program was given, consisting of songs by the choir, and musical selections by the string band, also short speeches. During the evening they were presented an envelope containing a sum of money. Mr. Alfred Swenson made the presentation speech. At the close of the program refreshments were served.

Mr. Nik Dellgren, Mr. Birgie Petterson and Mr. Alfred Swenson had charge of the affair.

That Beautiful Gloss

comes from the varnish in Devoe's Varnish Floor Paint; costs 5 cents more a quart though. Sold by The Adams Hardware and Paint Co.

A VIEL ROAST

Western Orator Didn't Quite Fit

AT MEETING OF MACHINISTS' UNION

Socialist - Labor Man Caused Excitement

Mr. Philip Viel and Mr. Farrell, the former from the woolly west and the latter a local product, both eminent exponents of socialism, are evidently members of the Ancient, Reckless and Independent order of the "Sons of Buttinsky" for they "butted in" to the meeting of the Machinists' union, last evening, and caused quite a commotion.

As soon as their identity and the purpose of their visit was discovered they were put out without ceremony.

The meeting of the Machinists was of unusual interest and drew out a large gathering by reason of the fact that A. H. Champion of Toronto, second vice president of the International association, and Thomas Wilson of Omaha, Neb., fourth vice president, now attending the convention at Boston, were the guests of the union and delivered addresses.

Mr. Champion was enthusiastically received and his address was most interesting. He was endeavoring to get at those present who were not members of the union and he asked non-members to arise and give a reason for the position they took.

Mr. Philip Viel, who is in Lowell in the interest of the socialist labor party, was on his feet in an instant and said he would tell why he was not a member.

He said he is a miner and he was proceeding to give reasons why he would not join the Machinists' union when several members objected on the ground that Viel was not qualified to speak.

Mr. Viel protested and the situation became exciting and finally Mr. Viel was put out of the hall without being permitted to speak.

When order was restored it was discovered that during the excitement Mr. Farrell, the local exponent of socialist labor doctrine, had scattered leaflets through the hall bearing on the miners' unionism and attacking John Mitchell, the labor leader.

Mr. Viel was not permitted to reenter the hall and he stated that he would reply to his opponents of the Machinists' meeting at an open air meeting.

LAWN PARTY

AT HOME OF LIEUT. JAMES BROSNAN LAST EVENING.

A highly enjoyable and financially successful lawn party and social was held at the residence of Mrs. James Brosnan, in High street, last evening, by the members of the Holy Rosary table of the coming Immaculate Conception bazaar.

There were about 600 present and dancing was enjoyed on a temporary pavilion to the music of McElroy's orchestra. The grounds were brilliantly lighted while prettily decorated booths and a fortune teller's camp were located about the grounds and did a thriving business.

Those who managed the affair were: General manager, Mrs. James Brosnan; assistants, Mrs. Hugh McOsker and Mrs. James Gookin; floor director, Mitchell Brosnan; assistant, Alfred J. Cooney; chief aid, Wm. M. Gookin; aids, Wm. P. Kelleher, Michael O'Keefe, Elias McQuade, Frank Sullivan, Thos. Cuff; chairman of reception committee, Frank E. Finnerty assistant, Miss Katherine Brosnan; matron of whist, Mrs. Robert Gallagher.

Ice cream table—Mrs. Cornelius F. Sullivan, matron; assistants, Mrs. Hubert McQuade, Misses Emma McOsker, Louise McOsker, Harriett Sullivan, Helen Halloran, Mamie McGilley, Marion Gallagher.

Lemonade and tonic table—Mrs. L. T. Wyman, matron; assistants, Mrs. Sarah Smith, Bridget Smith, Marguerite O'Meara, Josephine O'Meara, Alice Hayes.

Candy table—Mrs. C. Desmond, matron; assistants, Mrs. P. Conlon, Miss K. Bresnan, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Misses Agnes Cavanaugh, Julia Tabor, Winnie Chaloux, Mary McLaughlin.

Clear table—Mrs. Caroline, matron; assistants, Misses Sarah Hope, Kate Hope.

Cake table—Mrs. John Burns, matron; assistants, Mrs. A. Burns, Mrs. Hugh Downey.

NEARLY KILLED

FIRE CHIEF SENNOTT HURLED FROM WAGON.

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—Hurled fully 50 feet as the result of a swiftly moving electric car striking his wagon as he was rushing at breakneck speed in answer to an alarm of fire, District Chief Daniel Sennott barely escaped death at the corner of Bedford and Kingston streets last evening.

Terrorized by the accident, and with the reins dragging on the ground, the chief's horse made a mad dash up Bedford street, and was only prevented from plunging through a crowd of pedestrians by the heroism of Charles Ingersoll, the chief's driver, who performed a feat of horsemanship such as has seldom been equalled in this city.

The accident occurred shortly after 9 o'clock, while Chief Sennott, who is the youngest of Boston's fire chiefs, was speeding to a supposed fire in the building at 25 Berkeley street.

THE POPE

GAVE $40,000 TO EARTHQUAKE SUFFERERS.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A despatch to the Chronicle from Rome says the pope, not wishing to be ostentatious, did not make public the amount he subscribed for the relief of the earthquake sufferers.

This resulted in anti-clericals taunting his holiness with the declaration that he limited his aid to spiritual benedictions.

It is now officially announced that he gave $40,000, the largest donation made.

CHILD MURDER

Body of Infant Found at Scituate

SCITUATE, Sept. 16.—What may prove to be a case of child murder came to light yesterday afternoon when the fully developed body of a male infant was found on the sand about a mile south of the fourth cliff life-saving station on Humarock beach by Surf Patrolman Frank A. Carleton.

According to Carelton he had passed the same spot about ten minutes before, and he is positive the body was not there then.

The body is that of a boy. It was not clothed and had the appearance of having been in the water but a few hours. The body was not mutilated, although marks about its neck may indicate strangulation, and there were several slight abrasions of the skin, probably caused from rolling about in the surf.

The place where the body was found was between the most northerly summer residence on the beach and the life saving station. Nearly all the cottages are closed and but few people, except the life savers and gunners are at the beach at present. There are all kinds of conjectures as to where the body came from, but it seems highly improbable that it could have been cast into the sea from the beach at that point, and many are of the opinion that it was thrown overboard from some passing vessel. It has been suggested that the child might have been thrown from the Plymouth boat, which passes by within two miles of the beach just before noon each day.

LOWELL PEOPLE

STARTED ON TRIP TO WHITE MOUNTAINS.

About 50 Lowell people together with residents of cities and towns surrounding Lowell, left this morning on Mooney's excursion to the White Mountains. The Lowell party left the Middlesex street depot on special cars at 8.30 o'clock. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday will be spent at the mountains while the return trip will be made on Wednesday.

Among the Lowell people in the party were the following:

Mrs. Carrie F. Leighton, Miss Fannie E. Redman, Mrs. Mary M. Chase, Miss Alice E. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Miller, Mr. Isaac A. Fletcher, Mrs. Lena A. Whittier, Miss Isabella Cawley, Mrs. Aaron Brown, Mrs. E. A. Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Brigham, Mrs. E. G. Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Spofford, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Keefe, Miss Nellie Keyes, Mrs. C. F. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hutchinson, Mrs. D. Whithead, Mrs. C. C. Dursthoff, Mrs. H. B. Lang, Mrs. W. H. Howe, Mr. Ossian D. Tuttle, Mr. Edward Chalifoux, Mrs. A. P. Swanton, Miss M. Lizzie Upton, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sherman, Mrs. George Emery, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Persons, Mrs. Alice D. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgley, Mr. and Mrs. Laforest Beals, Miss Emma Deneal, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nelson, Miss Carroll.

A SUICIDE

MAN FOUND DEAD IN A PAWNSHOP.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Julius Levy, manager of a pawnshop at 807 Columbus avenue, was found dead in the cellar of the shop last night, a bullet hole through his head.

John G. Storey, of 114 West 101st street and William Zoller of 125 West Thirty-third street, clerks in the pawnshop, said that Levy left early Wednesday evening to go to his home at 2352 Seventh avenue. Yesterday morning when they went to open up they found the doors locked and barred. They waited around all day for Levy. Then they learned at his home that he hadn't been there.

Sergt. Craig of the West 100th street station sent two detectives to the shop to investigate when the clerks reported to him last night. They got a locksmith and opened the front door. Everything in the place seemed to be all right. The detectives saw a light in the cellar. They went there and found Levy's body. He had placed a small hand mirror on a shelf and shot himself through the right ear.

Levy lived with his sister Fanny and a brother-in-law. He managed the shop for Louis M. Levy of Camden, N. J., who was not related to him. His family couldn't give any reason for his killing himself.

A Dangerous Mistake

Lowell Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness in Children

Most children have weak kidneys.
The earliest warning is bed-wetting.
Later comes backache, headache, languor.
'Tis a mistake to neglect these troubles.
To blame the child for its own distress.
Seek to cure the kidneys—
Save the child from deadly kidney ills.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.
Lowell parents recommend them.

Mrs. J. E. Hatch, of 425 Dutton street, Lowell, Mass., says: "I gave a statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago, telling what great benefit one of my sons had found from their use. He had been troubled with a weakness of the bladder. I was told of Doan's Kidney Pills by a friend and I got a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store. From the relief obtained they proved to be deserving of everything said in their favor. I can now say what I could not in my first statement, and that is that the cure has been permanent. I consider it a blessing to mothers who have children suffering from this annoying trouble to know what to do to effect a cure. My advice is: use Doan's Kidney Pills for they can be depended upon."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

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248 Men's Neglige Shirts—neat patterns, in stripes—black and white and blue and white, full sizes, separate link cuffs. Men's Stiff Bosom Fancy Shirts, with separate cuffs—and Men's Soft Cheviot Shirts. A clean up of fifty cent shirts—all today **29c**

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ROYAL ARCANUM

Fate of Order May be Decided Tonight

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The fate of the Royal Arcanum in the eastern section of this country will probably be decided tonight at a special mass meeting of the joint committee from the subordinate councils of the order in greater New York, to be held in the Johnston building, Flatbush avenue and Fulton street, Brooklyn.

William H. McCabe, past regent of Park Slope council, will preside. This meeting is a result of the decision of the supreme council at the recent convention at Put-in-Bay, to have the new table of rates go into effect Oct. 1, in spite of protests from almost every council in the United States and Canada.

The main issue is, shall the 187,000 members of the Arcanum in New York state, more than one-half of the entire membership, join their brethren in Massachusetts in the movement to secede and establish a new organization.

In the new organization only members residing in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Illinois, Connecticut, Maryland, and the New England states will be eligible. These are the only bodies which have a balance to their credit in the widows' and orphans' fund.

It is expected that a large delegation from Boston, which started the secession movement, will attend the meeting.

It was said recently by one of the editors of a newspaper published exclusively for Arcanum news, that before Oct. 31 the new order will have a membership of 250,000.

Mrs. F. C. McVicker, chiropodist, 68 French street, has returned home from the Highgate Springs.

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Strike or No Strike We Have Got the Coal

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TWIN SULLIVAN

Had Better of Bout With Gans

BALTIMORE, Sept. 16.—Mike ("Twin") Sullivan, of Cambridge, Mass., gave his most ardent admirers a surprise last night before the Eureka A. C. by going 15 hurricane rounds to a draw with Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world.

Sullivan not only held his own with his dusky opponent, but was the aggressor throughout and had all the better of the contest the last five rounds. At several stages he had Gans in distress.

Referee O'Hara called it a draw, but many of the spectators disagreed with him. As the fight progressed Sullivan seemed more and more able to land as he pleased, and when the gong ended the 15th round Gans was hanging to his opponent, trying desperately to save himself from punishment.

Sullivan showed scarcely a mark, while Gans was badly battered up.

Sullivan's blows, however, lacked knockout steam, and his constant punches and jabs, while they wore Gans down, did not have sufficient force to send the champion to the floor.

For the first 10 rounds Gans had the advantage. In the first round after two minutes of boxing, Joe landed right and left on Sullivan's jaw, and "Twin" went down. Many thought that the contest was over and prepared to leave the building.

Sullivan, however, rose to his feet at the count of five, and managed to stand Gans off the balance of the round although Joe tried hard to land a knockout blow.

Sullivan was in great shape and his stamina came to his rescue. He came back strong in the second round and mixed up with Gans in great style. Gans, however, was far too clever for the Cambridge boy, and he again landed right and left to face. "Twin" took the punishment like a major and kept playing his left for the stomach.

In the fifth Gans again had Mike on "Queer street," but here again "Twin's" good condition came to his aid.

In the sixth Sullivan hooked a right over Gans' left eye and raised a "mouse," and in the seventh, after Gans had sent a right to Sullivan's jaw which dazed Mike, "Twin" again hooked a right over Gans' damaged eye and split it, starting the blood.

Gans had the better of the ninth and tenth rounds, but it could be seen that he was growing weaker, while Sullivan was keeping in pretty fair shape.

In the 11th Sullivan started rushing and succeeded in landing on Gans' face and stomach, but his blows lacked steam. Both were very tired toward the close of the round, and the sound of the bell was a welcome one to each.

Sullivan continued to force matters to the finish. At the end of the 12th round Gans was plainly distressed, but by clever blocking and footwork he managed to stall Mike off. Both were weak at the finish from the fast pace that they set.

BOXING GOSSIP

The members of the Business Men's gymnasium will hold another of their pleasing smoke talks at the gym in Middle street, tomorrow evening. A fine program will be offered and judging from the success of the two previous smoke talks a big representation of members will be present. Manager Flaherty has discovered a new Swedish wrestler whom he will introduce at the smoke talk.

Young Kenney states that as soon as he gets into condition he will show his friends that he has not gone back. He is training actively and faithfully at Joe Ryan's, and is fast pulling off beef. Willie Cornell would like to meet him again, and he will have no trouble getting good matches, once he gets in shape. Had Kenney remained with Ryan he would probably be meeting the top-notchers in his class now.

Jack Desmond, who made such a good showing before the Unity Club of Lawrence on Labor night, will be seen in the ring again this season. He has grown into the 118-class in which there are many clever ones. When he first started out he weighed only 105-108, and there were but few boxers of prominence in that class, and thus there was little for him to do. Now he can get all the matches he wants. With Freddie Maguire of this city it was just the reverse. While Freddie abandoned boxing on account of the position he held he would have found it different to get good matches had he remained in the ring, for he still weighs 108 pounds, and no more, though he was a champion at that weight before Desmond ever put on a mitt. Maguire was one of the cleverest little men in the business and if he had only grown heavier he might have been a world-beater among the bantams or feather weights.

Local sports are now patiently waiting for the day when Jimmie Gardner goes up against Battling Nelson, for they are confident that the Lowell boy will yet be the possessor of the world's championship among the light weights. Gardner, like Desmond and other young boxers, who have started out when mere lads, has also put on weight, and many of the experts fear that he has acquired too big a frame to make the weight demanded by Nelson and remain strong. The boxer under his natural weight is as badly handicapped as he who goes into the ring over weight. Gardner, however, is confident that he can make 133 without difficulty, and he is equally confident that he can lick Nelson. Gardner, like Nelson, has the punch, and that's the thing these days. Britt had science to burn and rained blows on the Dane, but the latter was there at the finish when his more scientific opponent was led to the loser's corner. Gardner is certainly as clever as Nelson, maybe more so, and he has the punch. The conditions are quite even if the weight can be made right.

The majority of the sporting public and the management of the big fight club in Colma demands that Battling Nelson take on Jimmy Gardner as his next opponent, says "The Referee" in the Boston Traveler. The fighting Dane says he is agreeable, but he is first going to make some hay while the sun shines. For the next 10 or 15 weeks he will be engaged with his theatrical tour, which will net him $1500 per week.

Look over the field and you will find no one more worthy of a contest than Gardner. Gans is out of the question for more than one reason. In the first place Nelson will have nothing to do with Al Herford because of what he considered a "raw" deal when he fought Kid Sullivan in Baltimore. Secondly Gans could not make the weight. He has repeatedly stated that he will never again try to fight below 135 pounds. Thus it is that the title of lightweight champion must be defended by Nelson. He did not win it when he defeated Britt, but he is the most likely candidate to defend it, and when he battles with Gardner it will be for boss of that division.

There seems to be a great deal of doubt about the Lowell boy's ability to make the weight. In the West, where he has done most of his fighting during the past two years, critics do not believe that Jimmy can make 133 pounds and be fit to fight such a rough house affair as Nelson. Gardner, on the other hand, is sure that he can enter the ring strong at that weight. Shortly after his fight with Rufe Turner, which was at 135 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock on the evening of the mill, Gardner wrote to the Referee stating that he was positive that he could make 133 pounds at 6 o'clock for either Britt or Nelson, and that he would be at the ringside to challenge them. Jimmy stated in his letter that he weighed in at 131¼ pounds when he fought Turner. He did this without any systematic effort to reduce, so he feels confident of making the weight required by Nelson and incidentally that he will win from the Dane.

If there is one man living who can beat the Dane it is Gardner, provided of course that he is fit at the weight requirements. The Lowell boy has shown championship calibre by defeating Buddy Ryan for the white welterweight championship, knocking out Jack O'Keefe in 11 rounds and putting Willie Fitzgerald to sleep in five rounds. With the exception of Fitzgerald and Rufe Turner, who went down before Jimmy in 11 rounds, all of the men he has met in two years have had from ten to fifteen pounds of weight on him.

People close to the Lowell fighter have always maintained that he could make the lightweight limit and be strong, yet they have also put themselves on record with the statement that his best fighting weight is 135 pounds. Those two pounds make a big difference to Gardner, yet he is confident that he will feel no ill effect.

Jimmy Gardner has all the qualifications of a champion fighter. He has a punch that is a sleep producer. His record doesn't show a K. O. against the names of a lot of dubs, but those two letters are opposite the names of the best men that could be picked in the welterweight division. Britt is credited with being extremely clever, yet I doubt whether he commenced to have the speed and science of Gardner.

Gardner's defense is the most remarkable point. He can tin can with the best of them and when it comes to covering up and blocking he is one of the great artists in the game. With his arms crossed and working like a pair of scissors he covers every particle of his head and body. It is an impregnable defense. The Dane would get exhausted trying to place a blow on him. Stalling is usually a bad feature for a fighter to become proficient in because in nine out of ten cases he carries it to the extreme and rarely ever forces a fight. This is not so with the Lowell lad. It is only when it is coming too hard and fast that James covers up.

Buddy Ryan has always been noted for being a husky, rough-house fighter, yet he placed but few hard blows on Jimmy. He tried keeping on top of the Lowell fighter, but was outfooted and in close he discovered that Gardner could either block all of the blows aimed at him or fight back with punches that carried terrific force.

While Nelson is credited with a knockout punch, yet it is not the dream producer that goes with the right or left mitt shot out by the Gardner lad. Nelson has never fought a man with a terrific punch save Aurelia Herrera. The Mexican put him to the mat and came within an ace of counting him out, but the great recuperating powers of the Dane served him well. With Gardner he would be getting a wallop every time he held his head up. That snappy left jolt, not the kind that Britt uses, but one that worms its way by the defence of a fighter and blinds him with its terrific force. Before his opponents recover from the harm accomplished by the left jab, Gardner sends over that lightning right cross to the jaw. It is as accurate as any human hand is in such affairs and when the hand encounters the jaw of an opponent he goes down.

Gardner has everything in his favor but the weight conditions, yet he insists that weight will not be a handicap. He can out-trick and out-punch the Dane. His defence is better, and he is faster, while the Dane hasn't a thing on him as an aggressive fighter. Nelson's only chance of winning would be to withstand the punching that has brought men weighing 10 to 15 pounds more than he down. He certainly hasn't one other thing in his favor if you sit down and compare the two men.

The prospect of a fight between this pair are excellent, although it will be some months off. Nelson will be busy showing himself off to the public for at least four months, and then another month of training would have to follow.

DUCK PINS

WANNALANCITS DEFEATED BY THE BROWNIES.

In the duck-pin tournament at the Bowlaway alleys last night the Brownies defeated the Wannalancits by the score of 1316 to 1256. Kelley and O'Brien of the winning team were tied for first honors.

The score:

BROWNIES.

Kelley	92	88	97	217
Moran	96	87	74	257
King	83	90	80	253
Dwyer	88	99	86	273
O'Brien	98	97	82	277
Totals	457	461	428	1346

WANNALANCITS.

Edwards	83	100	81	264
Hodgman	93	76	77	246
Fowler	85	74	73	232
Faradis	83	80	82	245
Edgell	100	91	78	269
Totals	444	421	391	1256

BASE BALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pc.
Philadelphia	78	48	.619
Chicago	73	52	.581
Cleveland	67	61	.523
New York	62	60	.508
Detroit	65	61	.504
Boston	62	62	.500
Washington	52	73	.416
St. Louis	45	85	.346

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—(First game) Philadelphia 4, Boston 3. (Second game) Boston 3, Philadelphia 2.

At New York—Washington 6, New York 2.

At Chicago—St. Louis 5, Chicago 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

Boston at Philadelphia.
Washington at New York.
Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	Pc.
New York	82	37	.713
Pittsburg	80	46	.602
Chicago	75	57	.568
Philadelphia	71	60	.546
Cincinnati	65	57	.493
St. Louis	52	82	.388
Boston	43	89	.329
Brooklyn	39	90	.302

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—Philadelphia 4, Boston 2.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 4, Chicago 3.
At Cincinnati—Pittsburg 8, Cincinnati 7.
At Lynn—New York (National) 2, Lynn (N. E.) 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

New York at Boston (two games).
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
Chicago at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Lowell police baseball team and the Cambridge team will contest for honors some afternoon next week at Mountain Rock grove. The date has not as yet been definitely fixed, but it will be held the latter part of the week. These teams met recently at Cambridge, and the Spindle City coppers put it onto their Cambridge brethren to the tune of 9 to 5, in a close and interesting game.

The Middlesex Village baseball team plays the Almonts of Towksbury on the latter's grounds today. Game called at 3.30 p. m.

This afternoon at Spalding park at 3 o'clock the Ketchup baseball team of Dracut will cross bats with the Red Men of Lowell. It is expected that "Billy" Hickey will pitch for the Dracut boys, while "Gene" McCarthy, a former Collinsville lad, will twirl for the Indians.

The batting order will be Beaulieu 3b, D. Donovan 2b, McManmon cf, Kelley lf, Jordan ss, Donohoe rf, Murray 1b, J. Donovan c, McCarthy p.

ON THE CREASE.

The Mohairs first team is playing at Everett this afternoon.

The Zions are having a friendly contest with the Moore Spinning Mill team at North Chelmsford.

The Bunting Reserves have Maynard as their guests this afternoon.

SEVERAL KILLED

Factory Wrecked by an Explosion

AVON, Conn., Sept. 16.—The factory of the Climax Fuse company took fire yesterday and an explosion followed, wrecking a portion of the plant. It is reported that several employes were killed and others hurt.

The explosion was in a small stone building in which a number of men and girls were at work. The building was not demolished, the explosion spending itself through the windows. It is thought that six persons were killed as that number cannot be found. Five of the missing at 3.30 were:

James Joy, William Burke, Molly McCarthy, Julia Sullivan and Dick McCarthy. A call has been sent to Hartford for hospital aid.

The portion of the plant which last burned consisted of small wooden structures adjacent to the stone building in which the fuses were finished. The fire loss is not expected to be great. Most of the employes hurt were struck by fragments of glass from the windows or debris scattered by the explosion.

$200,000 STOCK

B. & N. Wants to Increase Its Capital

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The Boston & Northern and Old Colony Street Railway companies yesterday petitioned the railroad commissioners for authority to issue $200,000 additional capital stock for the payment of improvements, etc., and also to determine the price at which this stock shall be offered to stock holders. On April 8, these companies were authorized to issue $300,000 additional capital stock the same to be sold to stockholders at $100 per share. The present outstanding authorized capital of the Boston & Northern is $10,160,000 and that of the Old Colony $7,312,400.

INJUNCTIONS

HAVE STIRRED UP MR. McADOO.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Police Commissioner McAdoo commented bitterly yesterday on the action of the courts in granting injunctions in the cases of suspected poolrooms. His remarks were called forth by a question as to what he thought of the recent action of the Western Union Telegraph company in again deciding to abolish the collection of racing news. The commissioner said:

"I have today asked for a complete list of poolrooms in Greater New York where the police have been enjoined by the courts. The police are confident that many of these places, from which they are barred by injunction, are running as poolrooms, and it is most embarrassing to our efforts to be so strictly enjoined.

"I say this because I am constantly in receipt of appeals from people living in neighborhoods where they say poolrooms are being run. I have before me now a tearful letter from a father, who tells me that his son is being ruined by playing the races in a place where the police are enjoined from interfering. In this place, as in others, a fictitious business is conducted as a mask to the violation of law.

"It is a practise now where places secure injunctions for them to remain quiet for a while and let the injunction soak in. Lawyers then threaten me with peril and damages if I raise a finger. Then slowly, but surely, with patrons who are carefully identified and so well known as to be safe and steady customers, the place is launched on its career of crime."

Mr. McAdoo received the list of suspected places last night. It is a big one and covers nearly every section of the city. After looking the list over he says he will have it published.

25 YEARS WED

SILVER WEDDING OF MR. AND MRS. MATTHEW MURPHY.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Murphy of East Merrimack street were congratulated last evening, by many friends on the 25th anniversay of their marriage. They were married Sept. 15, 1880, by the late Rev. Fr. James McGrath, O. M. I. Their home has been in Lowell since.

Letters were sent from here this week to Oakland, Cal., congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Bolton on the 25th anniversary of their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Bolton were former residents of Lowell and Mr. Bolton was an active member for years of Lowell council, K. C.

BOARD REMOVED

Mayor Roado Decapitates Health Officials

WOBURN, Sept. 16.—Dr. William H. Kelcher, chairman and George Buchanan and Dennis S. Doherty, his fellow members of the board of health, were removed from office yesterday afternoon by order of Mayor Roade. The official edict was served upon each member by Deputy Sheriff Joseph H. Buck, and a copy was filed with City Clerk John H. Flan at 3.25 o'clock.

The text of the order is as follows:

"It is ordered by the mayor, that William H. Kelcher, George Buchanan and Dennis S. Doherty, members of the board of health of the city of Woburn, severally be and hereby are removed from office for the following causes, in his official discretion deemed sufficient:

"First, because of a wanton disregard of public and private rights and contempt of constituted authority.

"Second, because of their curt and contemptuous treatment of the mayor, and obstructing him in the discharge of the duties of his office at a public hearing attended by him upon notice and request of the board of health.

"Third, for the good of the public service."

CAUSE OF TROUBLE.

The news of this summary and wholesale decapitation spread like wildfire and was the chief topic of conversation throughout the city. It finds its origin in a hearing held by the board of health Wednesday evening on a petition asking for relief from unhealthy conditions alleged to exist in the northwesterly shores of Horn pond.

At that meeting City Solicitor Norris accompanied by the mayor and at the latter's request, and as his representative, sought to propound sundry questions to witnesses for the petition, and to ascertain from the board information as to the statute under which they were acting.

The board refused to allow the city's law officer to ask any questions, and declined to answer those put to them as a board, claiming to have sole and unrestricted jurisdiction in the premises.

NEW CABLES.

WILL EXTEND TO CHINA AND JAPAN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Commercial Cable company, gave out yesterday this statement of the company's plans:

"Arrangements have been finally completed for the laying of submarine cables to China and Japan. It was the earnest wish of President McKinley, while the Pacific cable was in contemplation, that in addition we should lay cables to China and Japan. The difficulties at that time seemed insuperable, but we assured the president that we would do everything possible to comply with his wishes.

"Amongst our difficulties was a protest which Russia made against our laying a cable to Japan as being a breach of neutrality. President Roosevelt has given us his hearty support in order that American commerce might have quick service to China and Japan by an American cable.

"We also received the efficient aid of ex-Attorney General Knox and Attorney General Moody. Our landing rights in China were obtained several weeks ago and we have completed arrangements with the government of Japan for landing rights and connections in that country. Yesterday the agreement was signed by Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister.

"We shall proceed at once with the manufacture and laying of these two cables, which will take several months. The Commercial Pacific Cable company will then girdle the Far East at three points—namely, the Philippines, China and Japan. With the cable which has just been completed to Newfoundland, a fifth cable to Europe which will be laid this month, a cable from Guam to Japan and one from Manila to Shanghai we will have a system extending over two-thirds of the way around the globe."

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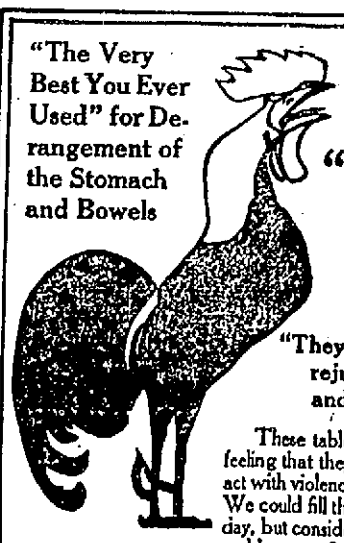

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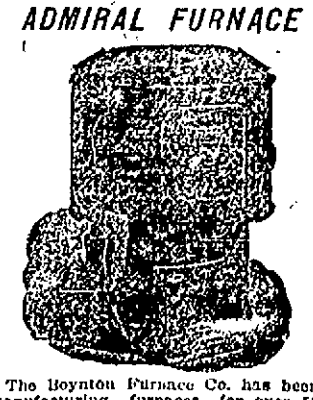

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6.39	7.30	7.34	8.54
6.47	7.53	8.15	8.59
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.37
7.21	8.03	9.50	9.57
7.28	8.30	10.00	10.37
7.48	8.35	10.17	11.30
7.52	8.55	11.30	12.07
8.57	9.49	12.00	12.56
9.33	10.18	1.00	1.37
11.07	12.02	1.15	1.12
11.48	12.24	2.00	3.01
12.14	1.00	3.00	3.37
1.38	2.39	3.30	4.05
2.53	3.48	5.47	6.00
3.47	4.35	4.14	5.30
4.02	4.45	5.00	5.37
4.25	5.30	5.38	6.23
5.22	6.15	5.47	6.54
5.49	7.00	6.14	7.30
6.12	6.53	7.30	8.05
7.31	8.13	8.30	9.08
8.59	9.31	10.30	11.34
		11.20	12.21

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6.50	7.53	7.00	8.31
8.00	8.54	7.25	10.33
8.25	10.33	10.30	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.03
12.05	1.22	2.15	3.15
12.47	1.58	3.00	4.30
2.03	3.22	4.00	5.00
3.10	4.00	6.00	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.45
5.05	6.46	9.40	10.35
6.15	7.10	*11.13	12.11
7.00	8.00		
9.30	10.26		

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6.15	9.23	8.00	9.13
10.10	1.13	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.50	5.05	6.20
5.30	6.50	8.40	9.40
6.45	9.42		

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6.38	7.37	9.00	10.00
7.21	8.07	10.00	10.37
8.48	9.40	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
2.35	3.27	5.00	6.20
5.10	6.00	7.30	8.08
6.15	6.55	8.30	9.08
7.31	8.15	9.00	10.07
		10.15	11.18

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FINE RACING

A Great Crowd Witnessed Events at the Fair

The horses at the fair yesterday afternoon proved to be the feature of the day. A number of fine horses were entered and both races which were pulled off, the 2.30 trot or pace and 2.18 trot or pace were well contested. The 2.18 class was won by Nettie Bell, a Dover horse, in straight heats, but after four heats had been run off in the 2.30 class the race was still unfinished and will be finished today.

Unnoticed won two straight heats and ran what looked like a dead heat with Victor in the third heat, but the heat was given to Victor. The race in the fourth heat was pretty and Mutineer, who had been very restless during the other heats, finishing eighth, fifth and third, with a new driver behind him, crossed under the wire first.

Despite the fact that the races were scheduled for two o'clock it was nearer three o'clock when they began.

There were six starters in the 2.18 class, trot or pace, Baby Con and Owen J. Carney's Peacherina having been drawn. The only Lowell horse entered was T. N. Burnham's Griado.

There was considerable scoring in the first heat, and on one occasion while getting a start Nettie Bell got restless and dumped her driver out of the sulky, but he escaped injury.

When they did finally get off Paddy, the Irish Boy, took the lead away from the pole horse, Botany, and was leading at the half, closely followed by Nettie Bell, Diamond bringing up the rear.

The race down the home stretch was a pretty one between Paddy, the Irish Boy, and Nettie Bell, but the latter won by inches. The rest of the field was far behind, Diamond and Griado coming in just before the flag was dropped.

In the second heat, while scoring, Botany's sulky got smashed and there was a delay of 15 minutes while a change was made. When they got started Paddy, the Irish Boy, was leading and kept it up for nearly a half when Nettie Bell passed him and finished first.

The third and deciding heat of the race was a walk away for Nettie Bell, the Dover horse winning with ease. Paddy, the Irish boy, was a poor second.

There were eight starters in the first heat of the 2.30 class. After scoring several times the horses got bunched and were given the signal to go.

Victor took the lead and was closely pressed by R. 33, but at the half Unnoticed came up and traveling at a walk-out gait finished first. B. W. Johnson's R. 33 was beaten out at the wire by Albert for second place.

The time for the heat was 2.32 flat.

The second was a regular sleighride with the exception of Diamond and Victor. Diamond had the pole from the start and while Victor made several ineffectual attempts to take the lead Diamond's driver fought him off and finished first.

The third heat was the best of the race, the spectators being furnished with an exciting finish between Unnoticed and Victor. Unnoticed took the way, but Victor pushed him hard. Coming down the stretch the horses were neck and neck and came under the wire with but a hair separating them. After considerable discussion among the judges, Victor was given the heat. R. 33 finished fifth but was given eighth owing to interference.

The fourth heat found a dark horse the winner. Victor had the pole and kept it for a half, when Unnoticed went to the fore closely followed by Mutineer. These three horses came down the stretch neck and neck, and though Unnoticed was picked for the winner of the heat, he went bad, and Mutineer won the heat with Victor a close second.

It was so near sundown that the judges announced that the race would be finished this afternoon at one o'clock.

The summary:

2.30 class; trot or pace; purse $300; unfinished.

Unnoticed, bg, A. J. Wills, Lawrence	1	1	2	3
Victor, bg, R. Crosby, Dorchester	4	2	1	2
Mutineer, blk g, C. C. Blaney, Boston	8	5	3	1
Albert, bg, Eddie House, Haverhill	2	8	7	8
R. 33, chg, B. W. Johnson, Lowell	3	3	8	6
Charley King, blk g, A. T. Wheelock, Dorchester	5	4	4	4
Bird Seed, bg, M. R. Walsh, Woburn	6	6	5	5
J. C. L., blk g, Larock, Woburn	7	8	6	7

Time—2.32, 2.32½, 2.33, 2.32½.

2.18 class; trot or pace; purse $300.

Nettie Bell, bm, Granite State park	1	1	1
Paddy, the Irish Boy, F. Isabel, Boston	2	2	2
Botany, bs, Larack, Woburn	3	3	3
Ornament, ch g, C. H. Morse, Ashmont	4	4	5
Diamond, bg, D. O. Leary, Lawrence	5	5	4
Griado, bg, T. N. Burnham, Lowell	6	6	6
Peacherina, blk m, O. J. Carney, Lowell	dr		

Time—2.23½, 2.25¾, 2.25.

E. S. Wason of Nashua gave excellent satisfaction as starter.

Frank E. Putnam, Fred Kingsbury and Alva S. Baker were the efficient timers and judges.

TYPHOID FEVER

Doctors Say Epidemic is Threatened

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Vacations spent in small farm houses poorly ventilated, with bad drainage and contaminated water supplies are declared by several leading physicians of this city to threaten an epidemic of typhoid fever during the autumn. The doctors declare that stringent measures will be necessary to prevent a great amount of sickness from these causes among persons who spent their vacation days in the country, supposedly enjoying a change of air and fresher food than they get in the city.

"In the matter of typhoid," said one of the city's best known practitioners last night, "it is agreed that sanitary administration has not kept pace with scientific progress. One reason for this is that the laws are defective. The health authorities have not the necessary power to enforce regulations and the people as a rule are not educated up to the point of obeying sanitary statutes." It is hard to prove directly that the disease has come from any particular district, yet every physician will testify that in certain districts where typhoid prevails its exercise is ignored by interested parties.

"Any physician will tell you that contaminated water is the chief cause of the disease and that in country districts the sunken well and the old-fashioned cesspool generally in close proximity to the living quarters produce that cause.

"Farmers, even if they were disposed, do not understand the requirements of a large number of persons, because they are accustomed to taking care of only a few. All such places that take boarders should be required to have a license approved by the health authorities, showing that the place is sanitary and free from fever, as it is possible for any place to be."

DEATHS

REAULT—Marie Reault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reault, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 129 Summer street.

ALLARIE—Narcisse Emery Allarie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allarie, died yesterday at the residence of his parents, 225 Cheever street, aged 1 year.

MAHONEY—Nora F. Mahoney, aged 49 years, died yesterday at her home, 462 Chelmsford street. Besides her husband, John F. Mahoney, she leaves five daughters and one son.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home.

ROGERS—Ellen Rogers, aged 57 years, died yesterday at the city hospital. Her remains were removed to the warerooms of Peter H. Savage.

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NINE ARE DEAD

Killed by the Explosion at Avon

AVON, Conn., Sept. 16.—Nine persons are dead as a result of the explosion and fire which destroyed the plant of the Climax Fuse company yesterday afternoon. Nine others have severe burns and it was feared this morning that at least two of these might not recover. The ruins of the stone building where the explosion occurred were still so hot today as to make a search difficult and dangerous, but the workers succeeded in getting out one body early in the day. It was charred, however, beyond recognition. Six other bodies remained in the ruins. During the night two of the injured, Charles Dimock and Miss Nora Ryan, both of whom were seriously burned, died at their homes.

The complete list of dead and those most seriously injured was reported today as follows:

The dead:

WILLIAM BURKE, aged 40, married.
JAMES JOYCE, 35, married.
ROBERT McCARTHY, 18.
JAMES WALLACE, 30.
CHARLES DIMOCK, 18.
MISS MOLLIE McCARTHY, 15.
MISS JULIA SULLIVAN, 18.
MRS. M. B. TUCKER, 40.
MISS NORA RYAN, 18.

The injured:

Michael Canfield, arms badly burned and internal injuries feared.

Michael McCarthy, body severely burned.

Lyman Hull, painful body burns.

Mrs. William Burke, wife of one of the missing, burned very severely and may die.

Charle Legeyt, very seriously burned recovery doubtful.

Miss Nellie Canfield, arms and back burned.

Mrs. Norton Fish, severely bruised.

Arthur Tuller, burned about the legs.

Earl Tuller, arms badly burned.

Hundreds of people, many of whom had lost a relative or friend by the accident, crowded about the ruins today, watching the slow progress of the search work. It was considered unlikely, however, that it would be possible to identify any of the bodies as the heat was sufficient apparently to incinerate them.

The explosion is generaly believed to have been due to contact of a hot iron with the fuse which was being manufactured. At one point in the process of manufacture the fuse is drawn through a hole in a frame attached to a reel. Such holes sometimes become clogged by the tar, used for purposes of safety, the fuse is coated and when this happens, it has been customary to clear the hole by means of a hot iron. It is believed that James Joyce was attempting to clear one of these holes yesterday and that probably a break in the tar covering over the fuse led to the explosion. There was a flash of flames and inflammable material near by took fire, filling the room instantly with smoke. Most of the victims are believed to have become confused in the panic which followed and to have died of suffocation, unable to make their escape.

Dr. Kellogg, of Hartford, has a summer home almost directly across the street from the fuse factory and was on the lawn of his residence when the explosion occurred. He saw the shower of debris from the explosion and the scramble of the men and women to escape from the building.

"I never saw a more awful sight than this," he said afterward. "The explosion was not heavy and seemed to me like a smothered blast but as I looked toward the factory sheets of fire seemed to sweep through the building and the smoke arose in clouds. Then there was a mad rush of men and women, nearly all with hands uplifted and shrieking horribly. Some jumped from the windows and some were trampled under foot. As soon as possible, I attended to the injuries of ten or a dozen, applying soothing ointments, and by that time other physicians reached the scene. The burns of some were terrible, the skin hanging in strips."

W. H. Hadsell, a brother of F. H. Hadsell, superintendent of the factory, had a narrow escape. He was in the shipping room near the elevator shaft on the floor above that where the explosion occurred. Blinded by the flames and smoke which shot up the elevator shaft, he lost his way stumbling among heaps of boxes and was nearly suffocated. He seemed just about to drop to the floor when he saw the dim outline of a window and managed to reach it and jump outside to safety.

The property loss by the fire was estimated at from $100,000 to $150,000. Four buildings were destroyed, the fire spreading rapidly on account of the failure of the automatic sprinkler system to work and the inability of the small town fire apparatus to cope with a blaze of such magnitude with one engine and hose cart.

MOURNING SIGNS

Boston Grieves at the Death of Late Mayor

BOSTON, Sept. 16.—The funeral car bearing the body of Mayor A. Patrick Collins and attached to the Federal express arrived at the South Terminal station in this city at 7.18 a. m. today, over the Providence division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. The train was exactly on time. A small gathering of citizens had assembled, and all removed their hats and reverently bowed their heads as the body of their honored mayor was taken from the car and placed in a hearse.

The hearse was driven slowly to an undertaking establishment in South Boston, a short distance from the station. It was planned to take the body from there at about noon to the home of the late mayor on Corey road in the Brighton district. The work of draping the city hall in mourning garb was completed during last night and today flags at half staff were seen everywhere throughout the city.

The list of honorary pall-bearers who will take part in the funeral of Mayor Collins was given out today. It includes the names of Gov. Wm. L. Douglas, Richard Olney, former secretary of state; Senator W. Murray Crane, Wm. H. K. Redmond, Irish member of parliament; Acting Mayor Daniel Whelton and former Mayors Samuel A. Green, Thos. N. Hart, Nathan Matthews, Edwin U. Curtis, Josiah Quincy. Among the others are Mayor Augustine Daley of Cambridge, James Donovan, superintendent of streets; Colonel Wm. A. Guston, General Charles H. Taylor, Major Henry L. Higginson, Wm. T. Fitzgerald, president of the democratic city committee; Chas. E. Stratton, former Congressman John R. Thayer, Thomas Gargan, Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, John M. Gronnan, Lieut. John A. Tobin, U. S. N. (retired) E. B. Bartlett, Jerome Jones, A. Shuman, P. F. Griffin, John F. Noonan and M. P. Curran, secretary to Mayor Collins, and Arthur W. Dolan, president of the common council.

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of Woonsocket, R. I., are hereby pledged without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever (in lots to suit purchasers) to the highest bona fide bidders, at public auction on Tuesday, the 19th day of September, 1905, beginning promptly at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon, regardless of any condition of the weather. The shops are fully equipped with a variety of splendid machinery and tools. Catalogues in detail at the office of the auctioneers.
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THURSDAY
The Farm and Personal Property
at the Elmdale Farm, known as the Roundle or Hill place, Grove street, Reading, Massachusetts, is to be closed out without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever to the highest bona fide bidders at absolute auction sale, on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1905, beginning promptly at 1 o'clock in the afternoon regardless of any condition of the weather. The sale to take place upon the premises, which are within one mile of Reading square, 3 miles of Wilmington, four miles of Woburn. The Boston & Northern Street Railway (Reading and Lowell line), at the corner of Grove and Lowell streets, is within three or four minutes' walk. There are
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PERSONAL PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE THOMPSON FARM, BETTER KNOWN AS THE McFARLAND FARM, ON NASHUA ROAD, DRACUT, MASS.
Last month, Mr. Keyes sold my farm for me and as I must vacate the same I have pledged all my personal property used in connection with the farm in the hands of the auctioneer to be disposed of on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1905, regardless of the weather.
The property consists of: 1 Bay Horse, weighs about 1250 lbs., a very good all-round horse; 1 Bay Mare, weighs about 1300 lbs., a good worker and a very fair driver; 1 Gray Horse, weighs about 1100 lbs., a good all-round horse; 1 Gray Horse, weighs about 1400 lbs.; 8 very nice Cows, description of them will be given at time of sale. About 25 tons of hay, most all of it an excellent quality of English Hay; 1 Farm Wagon, 1 Three-Spring Wagon, 1 Open In-Spring Buggy, 2 Sets Double Harness, 1 Carryall, 1 Democrat Wagon, 1 Two-Horse Sled, 1 Sleigh, 1 Parlor Stove, also the farming tools, Plows, Rakes, Harrows, Mowing Machine, Forks, Chains, etc.
Take the Pelham car to Richardson's Corner. This will take you within 5 minutes' walk of the farm. Terms of sale, Cash.
By order of C. C. THOMPSON.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 3 o'clock
ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE O'HARE ESTATE AT THE CORNER OF PROSPECT STREET AND BUTLER AVENUE. SEVEN-ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 2650 SQ. FEET OF LAND.
By virtue of a license issued to me as administrator of the Mary O'Hare Estate, and in order to make a partition of the same, I shall sell on the premises on the day advertised, regardless of the weather, to whomsoever shall bid the most, this excellent corner property. The house consists of seven rooms, four on the first floor and three chambers on the second. With a small amount expended on this cottage it would make a very cosy little home. The lot is a very desirable one, as it has a frontage of 82 feet on Prospect street and about 38 feet on Butler avenue. When the grade of the street was changed on Prospect street the city built a well-appointed stone wall and laid a concrete sidewalk the full length of the frontage of this property. There are 10 nice fruit trees, bearing peaches, pears and apples. The lot is all fenced in and there is plenty of vacant land to be improved upon. The fact of this being a corner lot certainly is a great advantage to this parcel. It is an excellent location for renting purposes; it is within 100 yards of Central street and within five minutes' walk of many large industries and the speculator would do well to look this corner over.
TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off.
JOHN W. McEVOY, Attorney. FRANK O'HARE, Administrator.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 3.30 o'clock
ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF THE PATRICK HORNE ESTATE AT 58 KINSMAN AND 40 LYON STREETS. A TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 2586 SQUARE FEET OF LAND.
By virtue of a license issued to me by the court and for the purposes of making a settlement of the estate, I shall offer the same at public auction on the premises regardless of the weather on Saturday, September 23, at 3.30 o'clock. The house consists of two tenements, one of five rooms and the other seven rooms. It is well constructed and very conveniently laid out, and is in very good repair inside and out. It has large bay windows in front on the first and second stories; a front door entrance on Kinsman street and a side door entrance on Lyon street. A two-tenement house of this kind should interest the man of moderate means. The lot has a frontage of 40 feet on Lyon street and about 58 feet on Kinsman street. It is all fenced in and concreted all around the house. There are three apple trees and a very nice yard all sodded. There is ample room for the purchaser to build on the Kinsman street side if he so desires. The fact of this being a corner lot with so much frontage on both streets makes this parcel very desirable. The location is one of the very best for renting; there are a number of large industries within a very few minutes' walk of this property. This must be an absolute sale and undoubtedly someone will get a good bargain.
Terms: $250 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off. JOHN W. McEVOY, Administrator.

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1905 at 4 o'clock
AN ABSOLUTE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF FOUR DWELLING HOUSES, CONSISTING OF TWO TWO-TENEMENT HOUSES, A BLOCK OF THREE FLATS, A 7-ROOM COTTAGE AND ABOUT 5328 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 81 AND 85 WEST THIRD STREET, ALL TO BE SOLD IN ONE PARCEL.
The above property has been placed in my hands to be disposed of on the premises, regardless of the weather, without limit or reserve, to the highest bidder. The present owner is in no condition to care for this property as it should be. It certainly will be a grand investment for someone who can give it the care and attention that such property as this requires. Number 85, a block of three flats, has been built but a few years and is in excellent repair inside and out; each tenement has five rooms, water closet and pantry and rents for $10.00 each, making a total of $360 a year for this house. Number 81 is a two-tenement house, seven rooms with one tenement and five with the other, and is occupied at present by two very good tenants and rents for about $225 a year. Numbers 1 and 3 is a two-tenement house in the rear; six rooms with one tenement and five with the other, and rents for about $220 a year; Number 4, in the rear, is a cottage house which is idle at the present time, but with a small amount expended would rent as readily as the others; it always has rented for $96 a year. The above properties when properly handled should rent for $1000 a year. This is a proposition for some speculator who could give it a little care and attention and who would be well paid for his trouble.
From 50 to 70 per cent. may remain on mortgage if the purchaser so desires. For further information on this property call on the auctioneer, C. F. Keyes, 52 Central Street, Lowell, Mass.